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CHINESE AND JAPANESE TROOPS WITHDRAW FROM TUNGCHOW

DIVERGENT VIEWS ON NAVAL DISARMAMENT

Threat By Japanese
Delegates.

SMALLER NATIONS WANT BIG
NAVIES REDUCED.

(Reuter's Special Service.)

Geneva, Yesterday.
The British Naval Disarmament proposals again met with heavy weather here, yesterday afternoon, when the Japanese delegates submitted amendments demanding the elimination of Article Three and a separate agreement regarding Articles 24 and 28.

They hinted that they will not sign the Disarmament convention if the amendments are disregarded.

The Chinese delegation declared that China reserved the right to defend herself.

A series of amendments was submitted by the representatives of the smaller countries, the general effect of which will be to reduce the superiority of the big naval powers.

Captain Anthony Eden, the British delegate, emphasised that Britain had already reduced her naval armaments by half, while the small powers were only asked to remain on the present level.

He suggested that conversations be held with the delegates with a view to meeting the views of small countries.

All delegations which submitted amendments, have agreed to Captain Eden's suggestion.

MENACE FROM THE AIR

Abolition Of Military
Aviation.

Germany's Request At Geneva.

The complete abolition of military aviation and the prohibition of aerial bombardment, is strongly urged by the German delegate at Geneva, Dr. Nadelin.

Addressing the General Commission of the Disarmament Conference, to-day, Dr. Nadelin recalled that 14 years ago Germany destroyed all her aerial material consisting of 16,700 aeroplanes, 27,000 motors and 547 hangers, an act which was intended to be the first step towards international disarmament.

Dr. Nadelin exclaimed, "All the world knows that owing to the latest discoveries, the aerial arm has become the means of decisive warfare."

"It was unnecessary to move a single detachment, gun or warship in order to attack a country which did not possess aerial defences. One fleet of bombing planes could ravage and destroy it, he declared.

DANZIG TENSION

Herr Rosting Recalled
To Geneva.

Danzig, Yesterday.
A sensation has been caused on the eve of the elections here, by the news that Herr Rosting, the League High Commissioner at Danzig, is returning to Geneva to resume his old position.

A rumour is rife that Herr Rosting has been recalled in view of the tense political situation, but the official version is that he is returning to Geneva in the ordinary course of events.—Reuter.

SILVER REHABILITATION PROPOSAL.

Mr. Roosevelt Agrees With
Mexican Plan.

Mexico City, Yesterday.
Senor Alberto J. Pani, the Mexican Finance Minister, who will head the Mexican delegation to the World Economic Conference, to-day stated in an official declaration, that he and President Roosevelt are in agreement on the plan for the rehabilitation of Silver.—Reuter.

4-POWER PACT AGREEMENT RUMOURED

London Report Proves
Premature.

POLAND STILL OBJECTS
ON PRINCIPLE.

(Reuter's Special Service.)

Geneva, Yesterday.
A report reached Geneva from London, yesterday afternoon, stating that the British and French Governments had reached an agreement over the text of the Four Power Pact, but Reuter was informed in London, yesterday evening, that the report is premature, although negotiations have been proceeding for some time.

It is hoped that an agreement will, ultimately, be reached.

In Geneva, it is believed unlikely that Italy and Germany will raise fresh questions, so a general agreement is likely to follow very quickly.

While the Little Entente seems to have waived their objections to the Pact, it is learned that Poland still objects to the principle of the Pact, even within the framework of the League, because she feels that it will simply weaken the authority of the League.

Discussed By Britain
And France.

London, Yesterday.

It is understood that the question of the proposed Four Power Pact was further considered in London yesterday, on the return of Sir John Simon, from Geneva, and that it is being actively discussed between the British and French Governments.—British Wireless Service.

PIRACY CAPTIVES TO BE FREED.

An Early Release Of
Nanchang Officers.

KIDNAPPED ON MARCH 30.

Dairen, Yesterday.

Newchwang reports state that the three officers of the s.s. Nanchang, Messrs. Clifford Johnson, A. D. Blue and W. E. Hargrave, who were kidnapped on March 30, are expected to be freed, probably on Tuesday.

The Manchukuo authorities are reported to have reached an agreement with the pirates, but the terms are not announced.

The captives are reported to be en route to Newchwang at present.
A Japanese-Manchukuo relief party encircled the bandits camp during the past few days, and threatened force if the Britishers were not released immediately.—Reuter.

3 SOVIET PLANES NEAR MANCHULI

5,000 TROOPS INSIDE
FRONTIER

TOKYO STATEMENT ON TRUCE
NEGOTIATIONS

HARBIN, YESTERDAY.
IT IS OFFICIALLY STATED THAT THREE SOVIET SCOUT
AEROPLANES FLEW YESTERDAY WITHIN THE SOVIET
BOUNDARY IN THE VICINITY OF MANCHULI AS A DEMON-
STRATION.

Part of the garrison of Dauria, a force of 5,000 strong, equipped with all types of arms, and with many tanks, is manoeuvring to the west of Manchul.—Reuter.

Apparently pursuant to the recent verbal truce, both the Chinese and Japanese troops have continued their withdrawal from the Tungchow area, a Chinese communiqué reporting that the Japanese are now ten miles to the east of the city, while the Chinese troops are quartered at the same distance to the west.

Only a small Chinese force is remaining inside the city for policing purposes.—Reuter.

Truce Parleys
Begin.

"OUTCOME DEPENDS ON
CHINESE."

Tokyo, Yesterday.

Reiterating that her objective is solely to ensure the peace and security of the Manchukuo border along the Great Wall and that she has no intention to take either Peking or Tientsin, the War Office to-day issued a communiqué stating that truce negotiations between the Chinese and Japanese Armies have begun.

Declaring Japan's readiness to negotiate with any responsible Chinese who is sincere, the communiqué asserts that Japan is prepared for either peace or war, and that consequently the outcome of the negotiations depends entirely on the Chinese attitude.

JAPAN ASSURES SOVIET

The C.E.R. Dispute.

PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT
DESIRED.

Tokyo, Yesterday.

Japan has been, and still is, refraining from any action calculated to injure the Soviet's interests in the Chinese Eastern Railway, states a note despatched to Moscow in reply to the Russian communication of April 18.

The reply emphasises that Japan is interested in the peaceful settlement of the dispute, which should be reached by direct negotiations between the Soviet and Manchukuo, because of the Japanese-Manchukuo Protocol, and also because such an outcome is of paramount importance to peace in the Far East.—Reuter.

Students Return
To Peking.

Peking, Yesterday.

Many students who fled from Peking early this week, are now returning to this City and resuming their studies, but one band, about a hundred, which reached Tsinan yesterday, refused to be persuaded to return here and demanded free transportation to Tsingtao.

The Railway Authorities were finally forced to give way and transport them to Tsingtao.—Reuter.

GENERAL FENG WILL FIGHT

Will Lead 7,000 Troops
Against Japanese.

COMPLICATES TRUCE
NEGOTIATIONS.

Nanking, Yesterday.
Reports from Peking state that General Feng Yu-hsiang has to-day issued a circular telegram from Kalgan announcing the assumption of the post of C-in-C of the peoples against the Japanese allied forces "in accordance with the wishes of the masses in various places."

General Feng strongly criticises the Government for alleged lack of determination and definite plans to resist the Japanese effectively.

He states that the authorities, instead of devising plans for a counter-attack, are trying to negotiate a compromise in order to gain temporary security.

He further declares that he will lead "like-minded" soldiers to defend Charhar and effect the recovery of lost territory.

It is understood that in addition to a bodyguard of 3,000, General Feng is supported by General Fang Chen-wu, who recently arrived at Hsuanhua, southward of Kalgan, with 4,000 men.

It is reported that General Sun Tien-ying, who fought against the Japanese at Chifeng and Jehol, is also allied with General Feng.

Well-informed Chinese, are of the opinion that General Feng's action is likely to complicate the situation in North China.—Reuter.

Gunmen Active In
Peking.

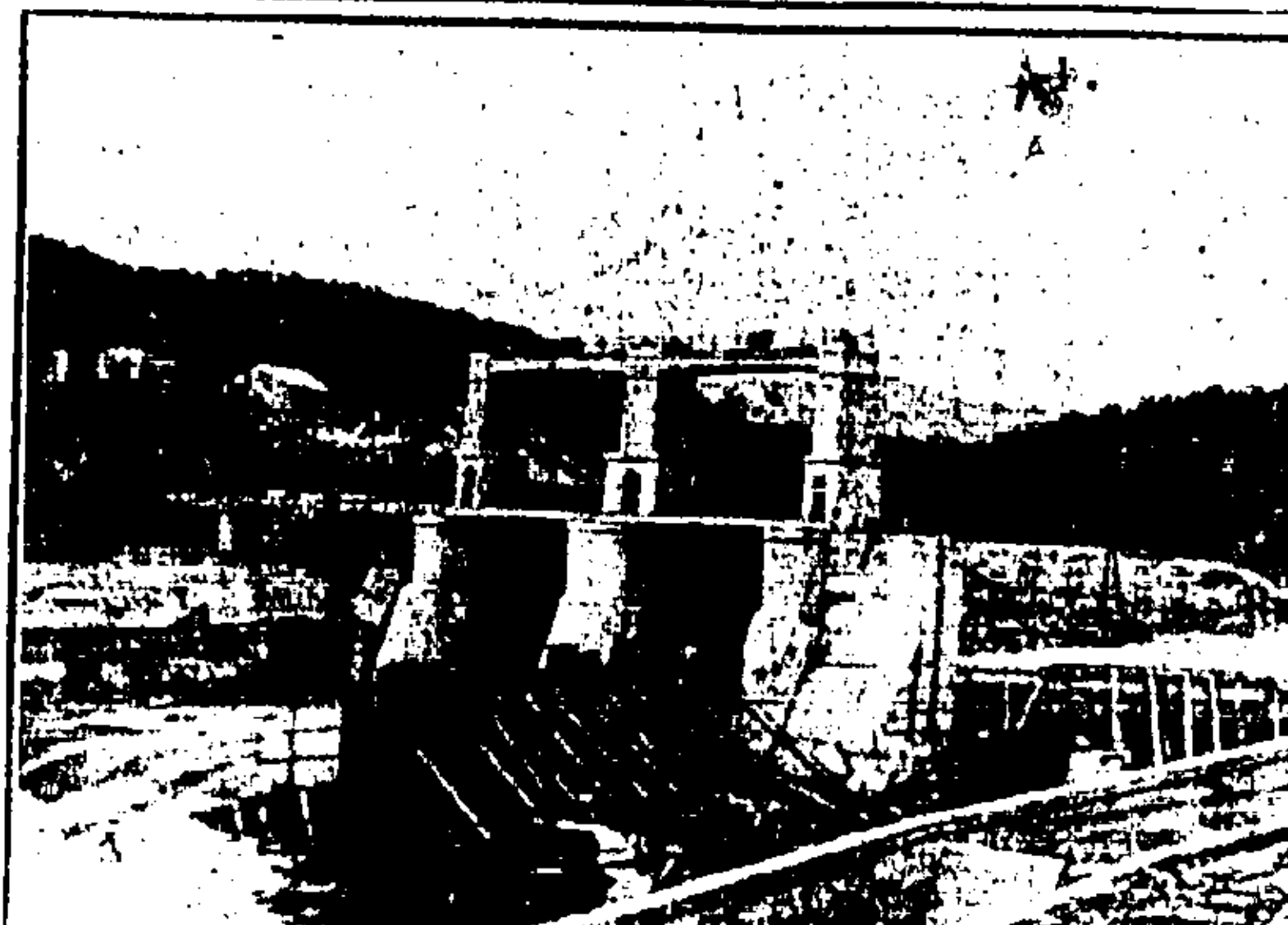
Peking, Yesterday.

While Peking continues to be very calm, the Authorities in Tientsin appear having a very difficult time with the plainclothes gunmen.

Chinese reports describe an attack on the Tangku station by armed men who were repulsed after hours of engagement yesterday.

Simultaneously, an attack was made by another armed band in the suburbs of Tientsin but also proved to be unsuccessful. Yet another attack was made by Kuo Chun between Tangku and Tientsin.

Two hundred gunmen are reported to be landing from junks in the Haiho, but the Chinese forces on the shore killed ten of them as they landed, while others fell into the river and were drowned.—Reuter.



Work is proceeding rapidly on the construction of Tummel Electric Hydro scheme, for the Grampian Electricity Supply Co., Ltd. The picture shows the dam across the River Tummel, in Perthshire.—(S. & G.)

GRATIFYING RESULTS AT EMPIRE FAIR

Over 200,000 Visitors To
Exhibition.

MR. BRAGA'S OFFICIAL
STATEMENT.

The British Empire Fair, which closed last night has proved a remarkable success, and has far exceeded all expectations. Although it is impossible to make any estimate of the numbers who visited the Fair during the four days, it is stated that well over 200,000 persons passed through the doors.

This figure constitutes the largest gathering at any function in the Colony at any time.

Interest in the exhibits was maintained until the closing hour, although the crowds were not so dense as on previous days.

The Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga, Vice-Chairman of the Fair, issued an official statement to the *Sunday Herald* last night and expressed appreciation at the gratifying result.

"The Fair has exceeded all expectations, from the point of view of the organisers, the exhibitors and the visitors, said Mr. Braga.

"With regard to the number of people who visited the Fair, no exact conception could ever have been formed but it is estimated that over 200,000, of whom more than 90 per cent. were Chinese, viewed the various exhibits.

"Large as this number of people was, it is a singular fact that throughout the four days of the Fair, not one untoward incident occurred. This goes to show how orderly and well-behaved were the large number of the visitors of all classes that attended.

Crowds Present At Closing Hour.

"It also goes to show that the Police, who were responsible for the handling of the large crowds, showed considerable tact and judgment, for which all concerned must feel thankful.

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NEW HEADMASTER OF ETON.

Professor C. A. Elliott.

London, Yesterday.

Professor Claude Aurelius Elliott, O.B.E., Fellow and Senior Tutor of Jesus College, Cambridge, has been appointed Headmaster of Eton, in succession to the Rev. C. A. Allington, D.D.

Professor Elliott, who is the youngest son of Sir Charles Elliott, K.C.S.I., Lt.-Governor of Trinity College, Cambridge, being appointed Tutor in 1914. He served with a Red Cross unit in Flanders in 1915 and later did temporary work at the Admiralty until 1919. He is a Member of the University Financial Board, General Board and Council of Senate.

GANDHI MAY SURVIVE HIS 21-DAY FAST

Doctors Anxious But
Hopeful.

MAHATMA IN DANGER FOR
ANOTHER 3 WEEKS

Poona, Yesterday.

Doctors are still hopeful that Mahatma Gandhi will survive his 21-day fast.

Yesterday's bulletin states that his condition will continue to be critical for some time after the end of the fast, and that it will be at least three weeks before he is out of danger.

The Mahatma began his fast at noon on May 8, to further the cause for the "Untouchables." In view of the reason for his ordeal, Gandhi was released from Yeravda Gaol on May 9.—Reuter.

Gandhi Weaker.

BUT CONFIDENT OF ENDURING
LAST 50 HOURS

Poona, Later.

Apart from a slight return of recurrent nausea, Gandhi is well, but is increasingly becoming weaker.

He is confident that he will be able to endure the remaining 50 hours of his fast.—Reuter.

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PATHETIC END OF DEMAGOGUE

Death Of Horatio
Bottomley.

STILL REMEMBERED BY PUBLIC.

(Reuter's Special Service.)

London, Yesterday.
Mr. Horatio Bottomley, the well-known demagogue, journalist and financier, died a pathetic death here yesterday at the age of 73 years.

Until the end, he was alone except for a woman friend, Mrs. Peggy Lowe, who stood by him all through, and watched at his bedside during his last illness.

A large section of Mr. Bottomley's former vast public still remembered their former hero.

Daily, during his last illness, scores of letters were received at the Middlesex Hospital, from humble homes up and down the country, but Mr. Bottomley was too ill to hear them read.

A MODERN BUCCANEER IN N. CHINA

Daring Piracy Of
Japanese Ship.

ACCOMPLISHED LEADER OF
BANDIT GANG.

Passengers and Loot
Carried Off.

Harbin, Yesterday.

Suave and polished and obviously well-educated, a Chinese pirate, speaking with fluent ease, the Japanese and French languages, directed operations on board the Japanese steamer, s.s. Hoshun Maru, when the vessel was seized and plundered in the Gulf of Pechihli.

The pirate chief was assisted by an equally striking aide-de-camp, the pair taking complete charge of the steamer.

The outrage was one of the most sensational ever perpetrated in North China waters, many other craft being attacked and plundered with the appropriate vessel.

When the attack took place, the Hoshun Maru was proceeding to Dairen with 1,000 Chinese refugee passengers, and 21 pirates who were mingled with the passengers took complete control of the ship in a few minutes.

All the passengers were robbed of their portable valuables and the loot is said to amount to a large sum, since the refugees had sold their cumbersome property before evacuating. The ship's safe was also rifled.

According to the escaped passengers, who arrived at Dairen to-day, the pirates, loaded with their heavy loot, left the ship when they reached shallow water, taking with them, many hostages.

The s.s. Hoshun Maru is a vessel of 700 tons.—Reuter.

CHINA'S VIEW ON DISARMAMENT

"Cannot Agree To
Commitments."

DR. KOO'S DECLARATION
AT GENEVA.

Geneva, May 26.

Dr. Wellington Koo made the following declaration before the General Commission of the Disarmament Conference here to-day:

"In view of the fact that China has practically no Navy, notwithstanding her long coast line, and in view of the fact that her territory with her territorial waters have been, and are still, subjected to continued armed invasion and violation of international agreement, by Naval, as well as land and air forces of the invading power, the Chinese Government does not see her way, pending a vindication of Chinese right and a final settlement of the war of aggression of which she continues to be the victim, in undertaking commitments restricting her right to take all necessary measures in resisting invasion and the difference in territorial sovereignty.

"It is an extraordinary painful situation for China, more so as she had a traditional love for peace and her earnest faith in peaceful settlement of international differences has been unbounded.

"The new position taken up was made clear in the general reservation of the Chinese Delegation in July, 1932. Moreover, it appears to be in full accord with the spirit of Article 88 of the British draft (Continued on Page 16.)

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REMOVED IN CASES.

Li Chung, a 50-year-old marine salesman, and Ho Yin, an odd job coolie, were yesterday morning discharged by Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Magistracy, on charges of larceny, on receiving a quantity of sports goods from the second floor of Messrs. Lane, Crawford's, on Friday afternoon.

The first defendant had together with the second defendant, bought three packing cases from the above firm, and were leaving by the front entrance when they were stopped by the Indian watchman who discovered the theft.

Both accused denied knowledge of the theft, and said they were unable to see into the cases which were covered with wrapping paper.

His Worship said he was unable to deduce guilty knowledge by both defendants.

LOCAL MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS.

Three Chinese Doctors Registered.

The following names have been added to the Register of Medical Practitioners entitled to practise Medicine in this Colony: Kuo Shun-hong, now residing at the Government Civil Hospital, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery of the University of Hong Kong.

Luke Lam-thong, of the University Students' Union, Hong Kong University, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery of the University of Hong Kong.

Tao Wai-ming, of 63, Des Vaux Road, Central, Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians and Licentiate of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh, and Licentiate of the Royal Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow.

LOCAL DOLLAR STEADY.

Silver's Decline.

The local dollar has remained steady, being quoted at 1/4 1/4 yesterday.

Silver prices, spot and forward declined 3/16 from 18 11/16 to 18 1/2 and from 18 3/4 to 18 9/16 respectively.

The London on New York cross rate given at £—G\$3.92 yesterday, dropped 3 points to £—G\$3.89, while the New York on London rate, advanced 1/4 on Friday's quotation to £—G\$3.92 1/4.

LANE CRAWFORD'S AT THE FAIR

Attractive Display Of British Goods.

LIST OF AGENCIES

One of the most attractive of displays by any firm in the Peninsula Hotel, was that of Messrs. Lane, Crawford, Ltd., whose exhibits were situated just to the left of the front entrance of the building.

One display which gained the admiration of all passers-by was that of silver-ware and cutlery.

This old established "All British" house adopted as its watchwords "Quality and Integrity" and since its inception in 1850 has adhered to the policy of supplying only first-class merchandise and giving value for money.

Displayed for exhibition at their stand, was a representative range of goods produced by the following manufacturers:—

Mappin & Webb, Ltd.—Sterling Silver & Electro Plate Ware.

Lincoln Bennett & Co., Ltd.—Hats for Ladies and Men.

Donaldson Manufacturing Co.—Hanger and Rafter Steel Shafted Golf Clubs and Golf Requisites.

Burroughes & Watts—Billiard Tables and Billiard Accessories.

Manfield & Sons, Ltd.—Ladies' & Men's Shoes.

Dunn Bennett—Chinaware.

Gourock Ropework Co.—Birkmyres Canvas and Rope.

Mander Bros.—"Olsina" Water Paint.

British Ropes Ltd.—Steel Wire Rope.

Cutter Palmer—Wines & Spirits.

Arch. Endie & Co., Ltd.—Paints & Oils.

Daniel Crawford & Son, Ltd.—Whisky.

J. N. R. Tennent, Ltd.—"T" Beer and Stout.

All of these Manufacturers have gained world-wide recognition for the quality of their products.

These are just a few of the Agencies held by Lane, Crawford, Ltd., but the allotted space at the Fair was insufficient to do justice to stocks carried.

Roughly 90 per cent. of the firm's merchandise are "Empire" products, and the above mentioned agencies represent leading manufacturers.

An invitation is extended to visit the Company's Main Store in Exchange Building, where special displays have been arranged in all departments. Exhibits are there to interest every one, no matter what their requirements.

SEAMERS' MOVEMENTS.

The R.M.S. "Empress of Canada" leaves Honolulu on June 2, and is due at Vancouver on the 7th. She leaves there on June 17 for Hong Kong via ports.

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PEAKINGESE

Two Taipans were waiting of business depressed,
As the fog from the flagstaff came floating down;
Each thought of the woman who had to be dressed,
And the Peak Tram disgorged them all sudden in town.
For men must work and women must sleep,
And stiff is the price for a perch on the Peak
Though the overdraft be groaning.

Two wives sat up at a late hour,
And they trimmed and they slimmer ere they went to town;
They sighed on the scales, squirmed under the shower,
And wept o'er a weight that would not come down.
For one must ride, and the gradients are steep
That lead to the palaces perched on the Peak,
And the rickshawmen are moaning.

Two Taipans lay stretched in the club house chairs,
In stertorous coma their carers they drown.
There is wringing of hands and tearing of hairs
O'er the trade that will never come back to the town.
But Britons old custom must keep,
And gin before tiffin necessitates sleep.
Though the customers be 'phoning.
"M. Pyre-Fayre."
(Reprinted from the China Mail.)



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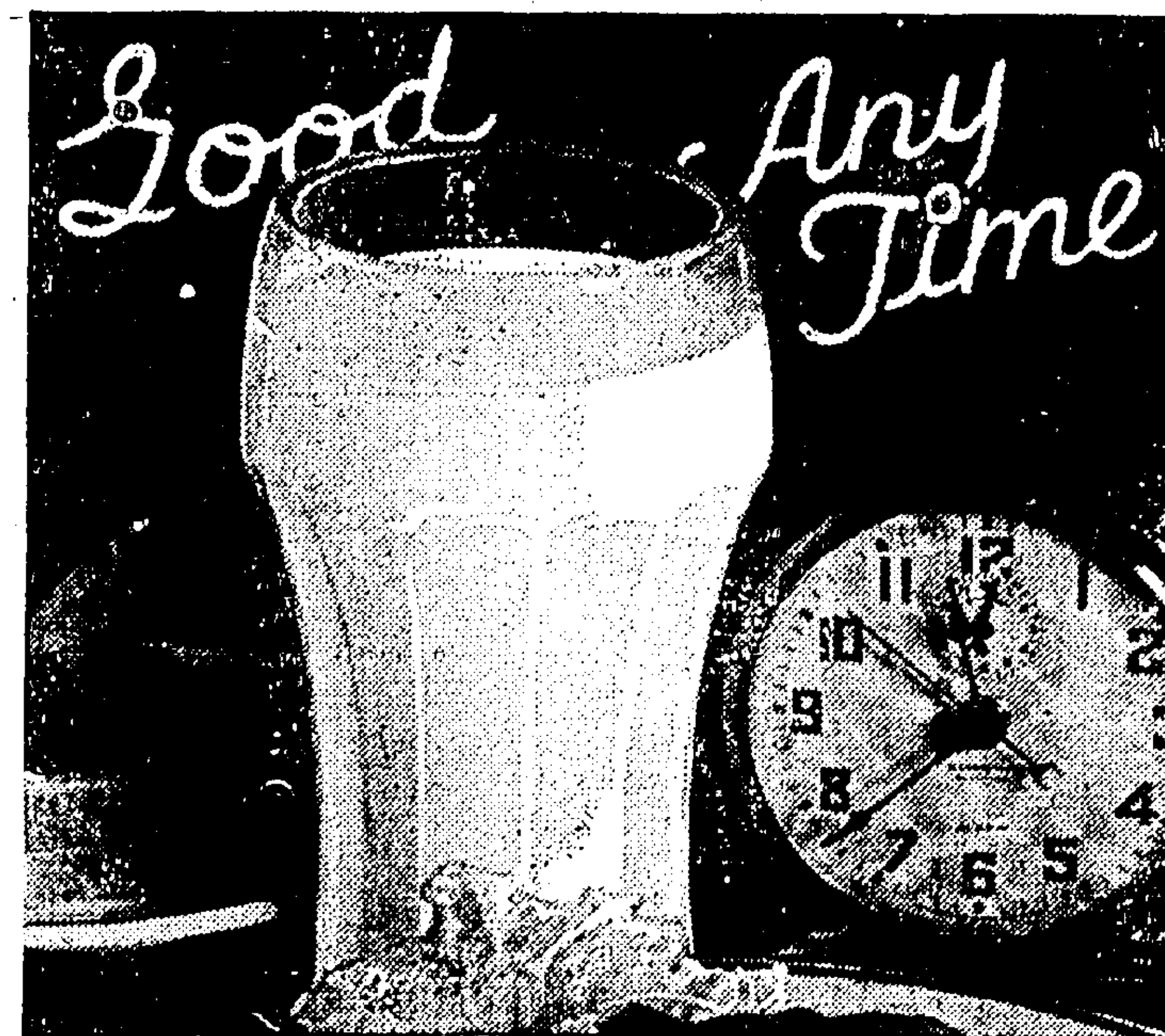
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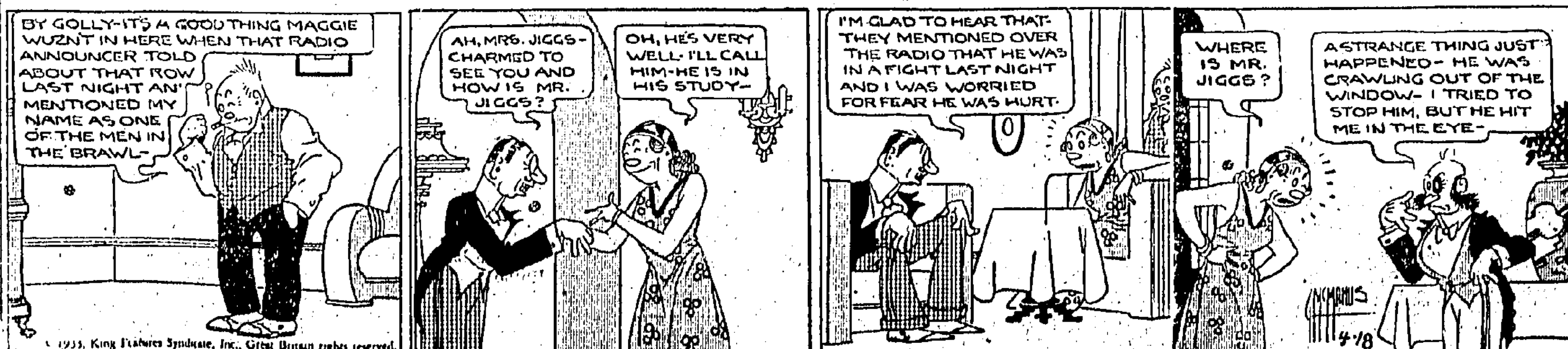
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Night And Morning Treatment

Importance Of Clear Complexion

Stage Favourite's Tips

(By Phyllis Neilson-Terry.)

A LOVELY skin is the right of every woman, and no matter how regular her features may be, she cannot look attractive if her complexion is blotchy and coarse. To keep it clear and soft and free from wrinkles as time goes on it must be given regular attention.

Creams and lotions play a large part in the treatment of the skin, and I cannot stress too much the importance of using only preparations that are absolutely pure and reliable.

A healthy skin is one that is always kept perfectly clean, and this can only be done by regular daily attention. The best time for a thorough cleansing is at night, and however late it is when I get home from the theatre I never go to bed without removing every trace of powder and dirt. First of all, tie a cloth round your head so that the cream does not get into the hair. Take a piece of cotton wool, dip it in cleansing lotion and wipe the face with it. A good skin food is necessary to tone up the tissue, and when the skin is quite clean it should be massaged for a few minutes with nourishing cream. Always use upward movements and take care not to stretch or drag the skin and so cause wrinkles. Wipe off the surplus cream with a soft towel, then apply the lotion again to the nose, chin and corners of the mouth to close the pores, but leave as much cream as possible on the rest of the face during the night.

I believe in the use of soap and water once a day, and in the morning you should wash the face with warm (not hot) water and a good soap and remove the night cream. Dry thoroughly, then put in some foundation cream, which makes a

smooth base for powder. Always study your type when you choose powder and be sure you choose the right shade.

The daily care of the skin only takes a few minutes at night and morning but it is time well spent. I have followed this treatment for years and I know from experience the wisdom of practising the proper nourishing and cleansing of the skin from early years. There is no age limit to a beautiful skin, and if carefully tended there is no reason why the complexion of the older woman should not be as soft and smooth as that of a girl in her teens.



Petticoats And Ruffles

HEAVY silk makes wide-skirted petticoats beneath frocks of organdie or tulle. Feather ruffles are still popular for evening wear, and are dyed the same colour as the frocks they accompany.

Ribbon Shoulder Straps

Trend Of Evening Modes.

EVENING frocks are mostly sheaths, with perhaps a slanting seam to mark the tunic line. Broad red velvet ribbons may be used for shoulder-straps on a black frock.

Ruffles surround the neck of a sheath which swells out widely to the ground. Neck-wraps of every kind are seen. Red lacquer coats with mannish labels look smart with

plain black sheaths, having perhaps a bow at the breast and otherwise no ornament at all.

On white frocks rows of small, flat white flowers are used to emphasise the lines round the hips. Some bodices are made from broad bands of velvet ribbon shading downwards into darker tones.

TWO-WAY CLOSET

WHEN a home has the convenient two-way closet that opens both into the dining-room and the kitchen, it should be arranged to give maximum efficiency. The shelf space on a level with the kitchen sink should afford clear passage for dishes from one room to the other.

It is best to have wooden doors on both sides to prevent undesirable glimpses of the kitchen while the dishes are being changed for courses.

Decorative Utility In Dress

FOR daily wear, nothing is more satisfactory than a dress whose light touches button right onto the dress and don't have to be sewed or pinned.

You can easily manage to attach most collars this way by having the buttonholes made right in the collar and the buttons attached to the dress, or vice-versa. Even cuffs can button on securely with perhaps three holes holding them by slipping buttons through them. Of course the buttons make a decorative touch, as well.

Jacket Costumes Popular



Printed Silks Discreetly Employed.

THE jacket costume, like the vogue for prints, seems to be a perennial fashion. Both fit in so perfectly with the needs of the average woman that we just cannot get along without them.

The smartest jacket costumes are in plain colours with printed silks discreetly employed for the bodice, a portion of the bodice or a scarf. For the mature figure there are jackets of varying lengths while for the young girl the costume or ensemble idea runs more to caps effects.

When capes are used, and they appear frequently throughout the spring mode, they are always short and are usually detachable.

LIPSTICKS CAME FIRST

Language Of Romance In Clothes.

London. "THE powder-puff, lipstick and eyebrow pencil remain alone as survivals of primitive clothing. Necklaces appear before clothes in primitive Society, and pigments before either."

This statement was made by Dr. G. W. B. James when he attempted to explain in a lecture the reasons why we wear clothes. The answer he gave was "For protection and modesty, but fundamentally for decoration."

Men are reverting to the more glorious types of costume discarded since the 18th. century, according to Dr. James. He finds signs of this in the fact that men are now preferring blue and pink underclothing and are buying more exotic pyjamas and dressing-gowns.

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WOODLAND STAG'S FINE PERFORMANCE

MR. PROULX RIDES KING'S JUSTICE INSIDE LIBERTY BAY'S RECORD

Mr. "Johnny" Heard, who is now leading in the local jockeys' championship race, was disqualified yesterday in the Second Nil Desperandum Stakes when his pony, No Fear, bumped Melody, ridden by Mr. G. U. da Roza, in a thrilling finish in which four ponies participated.

Before the protest was lodged Mr. Heard had been awarded a dead heat for second place with Mr. Frost on Paul Jones.

In a programme that witnessed the defeat of seven favourites and yet produced very mediocre dividends Mr. "Benny" Proulx again proved the most successful jockey, recording two wins and a second. Mr. "Leo" Frost, the champion jockey recorded a win and three seconds, while Mr. Heard, Mr. S. N. Pan, and Mr. da Roza each had a win, a second, and two thirds.

National Day, ridden by Mr. Proulx, won the Second Spring Subscription Griffin Champions after a thrilling finish with De Minimis (Mr. Pan), the favourite. Vigilance (Mr. da Roza) fulfilled expectations by annexing third place.

Inside Record Time.

Mr. "Benny" Proulx commenced the day with a well deserved win on King's Justice in the May Handicap over the Derby course. Bag and Baggage (Mr. Heard), the favourite, went lame after striving to make up for a poor start in company with Bright Star (Mr. Liang).

Mr. Proulx sent the Dynasty entry away to a flying start and proceeded to tear up the course in 3.01.3—two fifths of a second inside Liberty Bay's weight for inches track record. King's Justice was followed by Sadko (Mr. Butler), Sitting Bull (Mr. Frost), Bag and Baggage, Bright Star and Tom (Mr. Stanton) at the football stands. In the straight leading up to the Rock he increased his lead to ten lengths and responded well to the whip at the Rock to shake off Sadko's challenge.

Coming into the straight Mr. Proulx was a certain winner, Sadko showing signs of tiring in the face of the terrific pace. Twenty yards from the post Mr. Frost came through with a splendid burst to displace Mr. Butler by half a length for second place.

Favourite Unplaced.

Tenorio (Mr. da Roza) gave trouble at the barrier in the Stonecutters Handicap, while Flying Tourist (Mr. Young) was another pony not to get away any too well after early caperings.

Alexandra Hall (Mr. Proulx), the favourite, took the lead with Tillcum (Mr. Frost) on the rails. Royal Flush (Mr. Heard) lay third and Flying Tourist fourth at the Rock.

Coming into the straight Mr. Pote-Hunt brought Solar Star out of the rack to assume a challenging position, but Mr. Heard had established too great a lead in the bend into the straight to be caught. Mr. Pote-Hunt had to be content with a second place just ahead of Mr. Young's mount.

Alexandra Hall, the favourite, disappointed badly and was nowhere at the finish. Widnes (Mr. Pan) filling the fourth position.

Mr. Heard paid \$21.10 for a win while Mr. Young paid a useful \$20.80.

Woodland Stag's Triumph.

The start of the Brisbane Handicap witnessed Sunup on his hind legs facing in the wrong direction. Coming past the stands for the first time Ration (Mr. Proulx) led with The Griffe (Mr. Heard). Woodland Stag (Mr. Frost), the favourite, and Friar Tuck (Mr. da Roza) following in that order.

The Griffe was sent into the lead at the football stands, and, though Friar Tuck moved up when approaching the Rock and What's That (Mr. Pote Hunt) challenged when coming into the straight, Mr. Heard's mount led in the back straight. It was then that Woodland Stag came through to win a good finish by one and a half lengths. What's That was third.

Carrying 170 lb—22lb more

than The Griffe, Woodland Stag recorded his first win for the Dunbar stable. He was previously owned by Mr. Chan Tin Son.

Friar Tuck finished fourth, and Ration, Tecumseh, But After That, Canny, and Sunup followed in that order.

Favourite Loses Classic.

The Panther (Mr. Frost) looked in good condition when he went out in the Second Spring Subscription Griffin Champions, but he was undoubtedly out of his class, even with the champion jockey up. Gay Butterfly looked the best of the five starters.

Mr. Frost sent The Panther in to the lead, and the field strung out before the football stands were reached. Vigilance (Mr. Roza), National Day (Mr. Proulx), De Minimis (Mr. Pan), the favourite, and Gay Butterfly (Mr. Head) following in that order.

National Day went up when nearing the Rock, while Vigilance was held back for the last quarter. De Minimis was third at the Rock where Mr. Proulx began to push National Day. Mr. Proulx led in the straight with De Minimis and Vigilance as his only serious rivals.

Mr. Pan rode a gruelling finish on De Minimis, but he was beaten by half a length. Vigilance was third and Gay Butterfly fourth.

Highest Dividend of Day.

The Lama Handicap (First Section) witnessed the defeat of yet another favourite—Amoy.

Mr. Ingram on Helter Skelter led the field at the start, followed by Adam (Mr. Keswick), Festival Eve (Mr. Stanton) and Wakefield (Mr. da Roza).

Mr. Keswick sent Adam up at the Rock, but his pony failed badly at the distance post, Wakefield coming through beautifully to pay the highest dividend of the afternoon—\$69.50.

Amoy (Mr. Frost), the favourite, was beaten by a length after holding the lead in the back straight. Mr. Pan brought Valley Hall into third place just ahead of Partnership (Mr. Liang). The Crook (Mr. Pote-Hunt), Powerful King (Mr. Young), Helter Skelter (Mr. Ingram), Adam and Festival Eve finished in that order.

Surprising Low Dividends.

The Polo Pony Scurry over three furlongs, which attracted a field of fifteen starters, provided a runaway win for Mr. Stanton on Skewbald Griffin, the favourite.

The public had the race well covered, the winner paying only \$18.00 and Bay of Certainty (Mr. Stocker) only 3 to 1 and Stable Secret (Mr. Jordan) only 4 to 1 odds, instead of the expected high dividends.

No Fear Disqualified.

The Second Nil Desperandum Stakes witnessed a delayed start. No Fear (Mr. Heard) forced the starter to lift the gate to a false

"Y" WATER POLO TEAM TRIUMPH

Chinese B.C. Beaten 7 To 1.

SHREUDER AND KERR SHARE SIX GOALS.

Playing at their own pitch at North Point last night the Chinese Bathing Club water polo team were easily beaten by the Y.M.C.A. by 7 goals to 1, after being 4-1 down at the interval.

Schreuder, the visiting captain, was again outstanding, while both Campbell and Kerr, on the left and right wings, respectively, played good games, although the latter was starved in the first half.

Fowler was good at centre half and had Y. C. Chu well bottled up, while both backs, Lange and Jenner acquitted themselves with credit.

Y. C. Lau, the home centre half played a splendid game, although at times he badly infringed by tackling Schreuder too soon. He was, however, a tower of strength in defence.

K. T. Wan, the C.B.C. goalkeeper, played magnificently, saving powerful shots from Schreuder and Campbell from close in.

The C.B.C. forwards were too slow in shooting otherwise they would have most certainly scored a few more goals.

Kerr opened the scoring in the first minute of the game, but the C.B.C. equalised soon after through K. C. Ho.

Schreuder added three good goals before the interval to complete his "hat trick".

In the second half the "Y" proved too good for the home side, scoring three more goals through Kerr (2) and Campbell.

Y.M.C.A.—R. Goldman; H. Lange and K. Jenner; G. Fowler; W. F. Kerr, W. Schreuder and W. Campbell.

Chinese Bathing Club—K. T. Wan; T. C. Chau and P. K. Lai; Y. C. Lau; K. C. Ho, C. Y. Chu and W. C. Ng.

start, and then Grand Slam provided a broncho exhibition to unseat Mr. Hope. When eventually the ponies got away Mr. Heard was left, and Disorderly Conduct (Mr. Butler) was held back a second too long by his mafos.

Mr. Soares, on Victor, set the pace with Melody (Mr. da Roza) lying in a good position. Both Mr. Heard and Mr. Butler recovered well from their bad starts, and Disorderly Conduct was lying fifth at the Rock. Coming into the straight Mr. Heard burst through to participate in a thrilling finish with Now's The Time (Mr. Ip Kui Ying), Melody and Paul Jones (Mr. Frost). Racing neck and neck over the last 100 yards the four ponies provided one of the best finishes of the season. Twenty yards from the post Mr. da Roza had to pull his mount in after receiving a bump from No Fear (Mr. Heard) and finished fourth.

After the race a protest was lodged, and No Fear was disqualified, the official order of the finish being:

1. Now's The Time

2. Paul Jones

3. Melody

The previous order had No Fear and Paul Jones dead-beating for second place, and the dividends were paid out on that order, notice of the disqualification being posted later.

Mr. Butler and Devon.

Though Battling Horse, the favourite, drew the rails in the Lantau Handicap over six furlongs Mr. Pan was unable to secure anything better than a dead-heat third place with Imperial Hall (Mr. Heard). The pony did not live up to expectations and ran poorly.

Mr. "Benny" Proulx surprised everyone by bringing Krati Viz into a place, though the biggest surprise was Mr. Butler's second successive win on Devon. He paid \$28.80 for a win.

Helvellyn, second favourite finish, ed fifth with Much Ado and The Loner close on his heels.

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THE DERBY

STRANGE RUMOURS ABOUT RODOSTO.

King Salmon Fancied For Wednesday.

EXPERT OPINION.

(Reuter's Special Service.)

London, Yesterday.

The world's greatest flat racing classic, for the Blue Riband of the English turf, will be run at Epsom on Wednesday next.

Early reports to-day stated that Princess Lucigny Faucinge's entry, Rodosto, one of the best fancied horses, had pulled up lame during this morning's gallops, but later reports discredited the statement.

The head boy of the stable completely denied the rumour, which he attributes to the fact that Rodosto always walks with an apparent limp. This, he states, has obviously misled the watchers.

The 1933 Derby is regarded as one of the most open races within memory. The following are the opinions of owners and trainers.

Princess Lucigny Faucinge, owner of Rodosto has a good chance.

Easterby, the trainer of Corrado thinks his horse has a sporting chance.

H. H. the Aga Khan, owner of Felicitation and Gino does not fancy his chances with either horse.

Mr. W. Barnett, the owner of Harinero is not without hope.

Cundell, the trainer of Happy Call states that his horse is very fit and has really a good outside chance.

Mr. Esmond, owner of Inter-lace declares that he has a fair outside chance.

Sir H. Cunliffe Owen, the owner, states that he would rather own King Salmon than any other runner.

Mr. Fred Darling, the trainer of Manitoba, states that his horse will take a lot of beating. Lord Durham, the owner, declares that Scarlet Tiger will run well, though maybe he will be better later on in the season.

Duller, the trainer, says that Statesman should be among the leaders.

Mr. Butt, the owner of Young Lover is hopeful that his entry will run very well. The rain has considerably improved his chances.

The Hon. G. Lambton, the trainer of Hyperion and Thrapston, is ill, and his opinion is not obtainable, but Lord Stanley, son of Lord Derby, said that his father would win the Derby and the Oaks.

JARDINE'S PLUCK AND TENACITY.

Striking Tribute Paid By P. F. Warner.

London, May 20.

Mr. P. F. Warner, manager of the M.C.C. team on the recent tour of Australia and New Zealand, pays a warm tribute to Mr. D. R. Jardine in the journal, "The Cricketer," to-day.

Mr. Warner says that Mr. Jardine is one of the best captains England has had. He was brave and tenacious. He managed his bowling admirably and his placing of the field was masterly. He lost his form as a batsman himself owing to the strain and worry, but he bore the barracking and the criticism of the Australian newspapers with calmness and dignity.—Reuter.

COMBINED SERVICES TRIUMPH

Chinese Outplayed In Closing Game.

POOR ATTENDANCE AT CHARITY ENCOUNTER.

Displaying better tactics and being faster on the ball the Combined Services easily overcame the Combined Chinese before a disappointingly small crowd in the charity soccer match in aid of the Children's Playing Grounds' Funds on the Club ground yesterday.

At the conclusion of the game, which was the last of the official season, the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern C.M.G., President of the Football Association, distributed the season's trophies.

The Services fully deserved their win, and with a little more thrust would have won by a more decisive margin.

From the kick off the Services impressed with their determined tackling and clever passes. The Chinese were not allowed to settle down to their usual short passing game, and were unceremoniously bundled off the ball when trying to indulge in fancy play.

The game was poorly supported, only a very poor crowd which included mainly service men, being present at the kick off. The Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern, C.M.G., President of the H.K.F.A., and the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall were among those present.

The opening exchanges saw neither team settle down at all well. The Services were the first to get into their stride, and Lim Thin-chen was early called upon to save from Baldry, but he cleared with little difficulty. Ridley might have scored had he taken more time with his shot.

Pardoe and Podmore Prominent.

From the way the Services' defenders tackled, it seemed that arrangements had been made beforehand to break up the Chinese attacks by direct methods, and Pardoe and Podmore were applauded time after time for the manner in which they smothered passes by good anticipation and quick movements. The result was that the Chinese were penned in their own half for the first twenty minutes.

Baldry was inclined to shoot too much; a pass to his inside forwards would have proved advantageous. Some of his shots, however, were not too easily saved.

Purkins played a bustling game, and was over on the look out for an opportunity to shoot. His chance came when, having sent the ball out to Seal, the winger returned it square across the goalmouth.

Lim Thin-chen got to the ball, but Ridley and Purkins got there at the same time, and in the scrimmage the goalkeeper loosed the ball and it was sent into the net. Whose foot it was could not be seen from the stand, but Purkins was credited with the effort.

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STARTING TIMES FOR FANLING

To-day's Pairings.

The following were the starting times of the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club for Fanling to-day.

New Course.
9.32 a.m. A. Stokink, R. A. Rodgers.
9.36 " G. T. May, R. C. Webb.
9.40 " J. H. McInerney, C. Austin.
9.44 " A. G. Donn, J. R. Swales.
9.48 " Comdr. R. H. McBean, Lt. Comdr. Lloyd.

The First Round of the Happy Valley Golf Club's summer singles competition will be concluded to-day.

The Qualifying Round of the Kowloon Golf Club's Summer Cup competition will be played to-day.

Cullen's Rink Score Two Sixes

Silva's Rink Responsible For Recreio's Win

CRAIGENGOWER WIN TWICE

THE Kowloon Bowling Green, the Police Recreation Club and the Yacht Club all lost their 100 per cent. Lawn Bowls records yesterday.

W. Macfarlane's rink was sensationally beaten by F. X. M. Silva's four by 20 points, and this was very largely responsible for the Recreio's success over their Kowloon rivals by 18 shots. The failure of W. E. Holland's rink against F. Cullen's cost the Police 23 shots on the one rink after W. Mair and G. C. Moss had more than held their own. Cullen's four (J. V. Ramsay, R. Morrison, and W. Greig) registered two sixes and a five in their 36. Losing on all four rinks the Yacht Club dropped their first points of the season when they visited the K.C.C.

Craigengower, dual champions, recorded triumphs in both divisions, while the Police routed the Indian R.C., both newcomers in the Second Division.

Yesterday's Results at a Glance.

FIRST DIVISION.

TAIKOO D.R.C.	(50)	52	CRAIGENGOWER C.C.	(69)	57
CIVIL SERVICE C.C.	(64)	67	KOWLOON C.C.	(47)	48
POLICE R. C.	(52)	57	KOWLOON D.R.C.	(53)	74
RECREIO	(60)	69	KOWLOON B.G.C.	(63)	51

SECOND DIVISION.

INDIAN R.C.	(—)	41	POLICE R.C.	(—)	71
KOWLOON C.C.	(50)	64	YACHT CLUB	(63)	42
KOWLOON B.G.C.	(64)	78	RECREIO	(40)	50
CRAIGENGOWER	(78)	70	H.K. ELECTRIC R.C.	(68)	42

Figures in brackets denote result of corresponding game last year.

League Tables To Date.

FIRST DIVISION

	P.	W.	L.	F.	A.	Shots	Shots	Up	D.	Pts.
Kowloon B. G. (3)	3	2	1	195	169	26	0	4		
Civil Service (3)	3	2	1	125	174	21	0	4		
Recreio (2)	3	2	1	171	157	14	0	4		
Police (7)	3	2	1	177	171	6	0	4		
Craigengower (1)	3	2	1	166	164	2	0	4		
Kowloon Docks (5)	3	1	2	176	180	0	4	2		
Kowloon C. C. (4)	3	1	2	155	176	0	21	2		
Taikoo Docks (6)	3	0	3	146	190	0	44	0		

SECOND DIVISION

Kowloon B. G. (5)	4	3	1	298	219	79	0	6		
Kowloon C. C. (7)	4	3	1	228	207	21	0	6		
Craigengower (1)	3	2	1	192	144	48	0	4		
Yacht Club (2)	3	2	1	185	177	8	0	4		
Civil Service (3)	3	2	1	174	173	1	0	4		
Recreio (4)	4	2	2	246	222	24	0	4		
Police R. C. (—)	3	1	2	164	203	0	39	2		
H. K. Electric (8)	4	1	3	205	256	0	51	2		
Indian R. C. (—)	4	0	4	183	274	0	91	0		

Figures in brackets denote positions held by the respective clubs at the conclusion of last season. The Police and Indian R.C. are newcomers to the junior division in the absence of the Taikoo-second string.

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Ian Smith, G. R. Beamish And E. O'Davy Dropping Out

London, May 13.

AT the close of each Rugby season a number of famous players drop out, if not from their club teams, at least from the international arena. At the end of last season, G. P. S. Macpherson and Ian Smith announced that they had played their last international games. Macpherson has persisted in that attitude, although he regularly turns out for his club, but for Ian Smith the call was too great. He did not start playing until late in the season, but he has been included in each of Scotland's victorious international teams and, in addition, has realised a life-long ambition to captain his country. He has played for Scotland for the last nine seasons and naturally it caused general satisfaction when he turned out once more to assist his country in her international battles.

G. R. Beamish, the elder of the Beamish brothers, also has played his last international for Ireland. At the commencement of the season it was thought likely that this great forward would be transferred to Egypt for Royal Air Force service. Events turned out otherwise and he remained to render his usual yeoman service to his country. It is remarkable that a player of his huge physique—he is nearly 17 st.—should have lasted so long. Beamish will be abroad when the new season commences.

Another Irish veteran, E. O'D. Davy, feels that the time has come when he should beat a graceful retreat. He has been his country's stand-by at fly-half as consistently as has George Beamish in the pack. In all his great-hearted player has been capped on 23 occasions and he has captained Ireland in many of her greatest duels.

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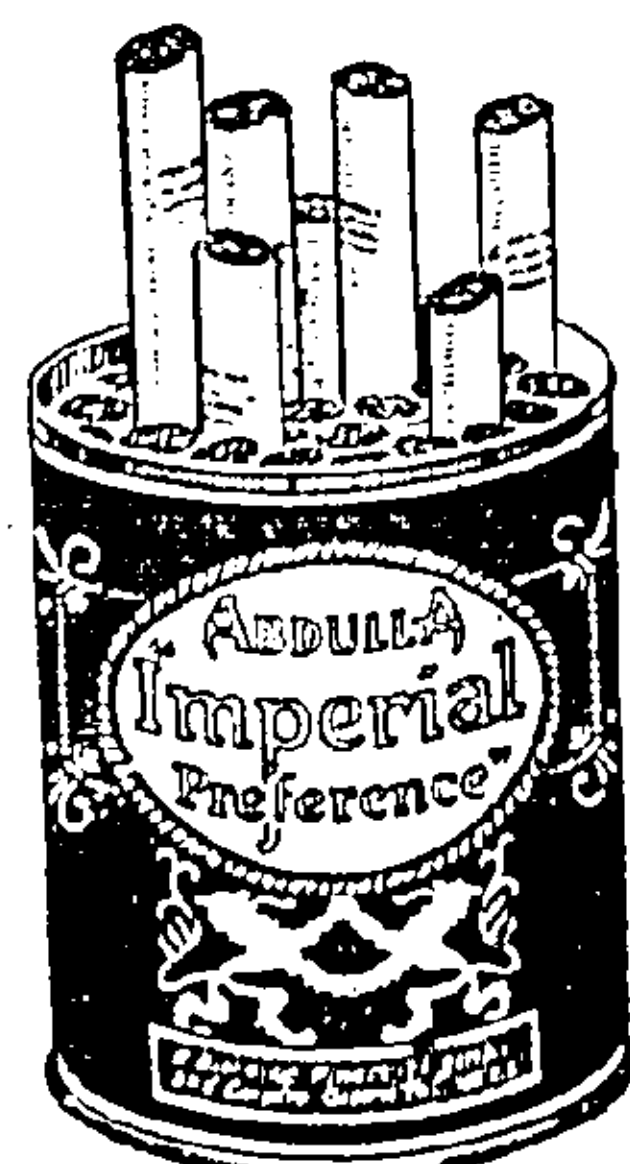
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Yesterday's Bowls Encounters

(Continued from Page 4.)

First Division.

TAIKOO v. CRAIGENGOWER

At Taikoo, the Craigengower Crick. Club beat the Taikoo Recreation Club by 5 shots.

C.C.C.	Taikoo.
C. Summons	D. Peoples
L. E. Lammert	W. Cunningham
J. Cavanagh	W. Weir
B. W. Bradbury	J. C. Chalmers
(Skip)	(Skip)
12	22
G. L. Buchanan	A. Stalker
M. J. Medina	J. J. White
H. Beer	R. M. Keown
R. Bana	W. Watherspoon
(Skip)	(Skip)
22	18
W. T. Brightman	W. Brown
J. S. Landolt	G. H. Stewart
A. E. Coates	J. A. Watson
U. M. Omar	N. Drummond
(Skip)	(Skip)
23	12
57	62

C.S.C.C. v. K.C.C.

At Happy Valley, the Civil Service Cricket Club beat the Kowloon Cricket Club by 19 shots.

C.S.C.C.	K.C.C.
E. W. Simmonds	E. C. Fincher
H. E. Strange	J. Chadwick
J. Hollidge	F. Goodwin
A. W. Grimmit	A. Hyde-Lay
(Skip)	(Skip)
18	15
H. Lockhart	F. E. Skinner
A. O. Brown	F. Maddox
N. J. Debbington	T. Fergusson
R. P. Phillips	H. Overy
(Skip)	(Skip)
27	14
S. Randle	H. Gittins
S. Alderman	J. H. G. Browne
F. J. Jones	H. Hampton
J. W. Deakin	A. E. Silstone
(Skip)	(Skip)
22	19
67	48

POLICE v. K.D.R.C.

At Happy Valley the Kowloon Dock Recreation Club beat the Police Recreation Club by 17 shots.

K.D.R.C.	P.R.C.
G. N. Mitchell	J. Fender
J. Kempton	T. Tallon
J. Lindsay	J. Shepherd
J. C. Brown	W. Mair
(Skip)	(Skip)
16	31
A. Calman	T. Nolan
W. Hedley	A. R. Clarke
M. Ferguson	F. E. Booker
R. Lapsley	G. C. Moss
(Skip)	(Skip)
22	13
J. V. Ramsay	J. Orem
R. Morrison	J. Perkins
W. Greig	E. G. Post
F. C. Cullen	W. E. Hollands
(Skip)	(Skip)
36	13
74	57

RECREIO V. K.B.G.C.

At King's Park, the Club de Recreio beat the Kowloon Bowling Green Club by 18 shots.

Recreio	K.B.G.C.
L. A. Gutierrez	R. Duncan
R. Roberts	J. Sloan
A. S. Gomes	C. E. Roylance
C. E. Marques	A. Holland
(Skip)	(Skip)
22	20
F. A. Xavier	A. MacIntyre
J. M. M. Alves	G. Chambers
F. V. V. Ribeiro	J. Gibson
F. X. M. Silva	W. Macfarlane
(Skip)	(Skip)
27	7
E. L. Barros	J. Watson
L. C. R. Souza	J. S. Logan
C. G. Silva	L. Guy
R. F. Luz	H. Nish
(Skip)	(Skip)
20	24
69	51

Second Division.

POLICE v. INDIAN R.C.

At Sookunpoo the Police Recreation Club beat the Indian Recreation Club by 30 shots.

Police	Indian R.C.
W. McLeod	S. D. Ismail
A. E. Haynes	S. M. Sadick
W. McWalter	M. I. Razack
R. Marks	A. M. Wahab
(Skip)	(Skip)
23	16
H. Merriman	Bishen Singh
A. W. Smith	S. Ismail
J. Riddell	H. Hartman
W. Glendenning	B. A. Hyder
(Skip)	(Skip)
20	9
W. Downman	A. M. Omar
W. Chester Woods	M. Y. Adal
C. F. Alexander	S. O. Bux
A. E. Carey	N. M. Omar
(Skip)	(Skip)
28	10
71	41

K.C.C. v. YACHT CLUB

At the K.C.C. the Kowloon Cricket Club beat the Yacht Club by 22 shots.

K.C.C.	Yacht Club
J. M. Brown	J. A. R. Selby
S. J. Houghton	H. J. Hansen
E. Kern	A. Murdoch
J. M. Jack	A. Chapman
(Skip)	(Skip)
26	14
C. Kristofersen	C. S. Abraham
A. Spary	N. V. A. Croucher
W. W. Hirst	W. Spencer
J. P. Robinson	J. Bentley
(Skip)	(Skip)
19	15
M. N. Rakusen	L. S. Greenhill
C. J. Roe	A. W. Brown
V. C. Labrum	J. C. W. Bonnar
L. Jack	A. Macfarlane
(Skip)	(Skip)
19	13
64	42

K.B.G.C. v. RECREIO

At the K.B.G.C. the Kowloon Bowling Green Club beat the Club de Recreio by 28 shots.

K.B.G.C.	Recreio
T. Gooding	D. Alves
T. Searle	J. M. S. Rozario
F. V. Whitta	E. M. Remedios
A. W. E. Davidson	J. J. Basto
(Skip)	(Skip)
33	14
V. Petherick	M. A. Carvalho
C. L. Farmer	F. X. Soares
E. W. Hale	A. V. Barros
W. S. Drake	A. N. Basto
(Skip)	(Skip)
25	16
Capt. Elliot	L. Silva
Heywood	J. Noronha
Capt. T. Hard	J. Noronha
G. E. F.	J. C. Ozorio
Thompson	H. A. Alves
F. L. Rapley	(Skip)
(Skip)	(Skip)
20	20
78	50

C.C.C. v. ELECTRIC.

At the Valley the Craigengower Cricket Club defeated the Hong Kong Electric R.C. by 28 shots.

C.C.C.	Electric
D. K. Kharas	J. Sloan
E. C. Barry	A. McKellar
Y. Abbas	A. Webster
X. A. Razack	S. Deacon
(Skip)	(Skip)
26	13
J. Johnston	R. C. Butler
H. Milton	J. G. Haigh
W. Ward	McKay
W. Field	A. F. Paul
(Skip)	(Skip)
20	18
G. Duncan	A. Tarbuck
F. K. Modl	F. F. Duckworth
E. Tuck	G. T. Padgett
W. Gill	L. de Rome
(Skip)	(Skip)
24	11
70	42

Varzi Wins German Motor Classic at 207 K.P.H.

Berlin, May 21. AVERAGING 207 kilometres an hour, the Italian, Varzi, driving a specially built French Bugatti car, won the international automobile race of the German Auto Association, which was run this afternoon on Berlin's famous speedway Avus, over a distance of 204 kilometres. Count Czaykowski (French), also driving a Bugatti, came in second, scarcely 20 yards behind the victor, having led the field for 8½ out of ten laps, only to be passed by Varzi in the penultimate round after a nerve-racking duel which kept the spectators spellbound. The noted Italian Alfa-Romeo team, Nuvolari and Borzacchini, who between them divided honours in the majority of the auto-races run this and last year, had to be content with the third and fourth places, respectively crossing the tape about 10 kilometres behind the leaders. Their Alfa-Romeo cars proved this time not quite a match for the Bugattis. The only German competitor, Herr von Brauchitsch, who won the same race last year, had a bad start but was rapidly gaining ground in his stream-lined Mercedes, when tyre-trouble spoiled his chances. Only seven out of twelve competitors completed the course.

The race for light cars over a distance of 196 kilometres was also won by a Bugatti team, Veyron being first and Burgzaller taking the second place. Earl Howe, who won this race in 1932, finished third, five kilometres behind the leaders.—Trans-Ocean Kuo Min.

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COMBINED SERVICES TRIUMPH

Curtain Falls On Local Soccer.

(Continued from page 4.)

The lead was fully deserved. The Services were playing much superior football. There was no fancy play—their methods were direct. As soon as the ball was received and under control it was transferred, usually to advantage, thus giving the Chinese defence no time to get into position to prevent shooting.

For the Chinese, Lau Mau was the outstanding player, and more often than not, had Baldry beaten, unless the winger got rid of the ball well before being tackled.

In a duel with Usher, however, Lau Mau came off second best, and from Usher's pass, Purkins threw away a good chance of scoring. A few minutes later Purkins had another chance, but he was not quite fast enough to get to a good forward pass from Baldry. Lau Mau beating him to clear by inches.

During one of the few Chinese breakaways, Lee Chui-lo had a good shot saved by Morrison at the expense of a corner. These attacks by the Chinese were rare, their passes usually being intercepted before the half-way stage was reached. During the first half, Combey handled the ball on two occasions only.

Services Net Second Goal From Foul.

The Services second goal was the result of one of those petty fouls so frequent in local football.

Referee Brown awarded the Services a free kick outside the penalty area. Seal sending the ball straight over the heads of the waiting forwards to Baldry who met the ball with a first-timer to leave the goalkeeper standing.

The second half opened with the Chinese pressing hard, and were unlucky not to open their account through Ip Pak-wa, Combey just turning a great shot over the bar. Three corners were then forced in quick succession by the Chinese, and from two of these, Fung King-cheong sent in powerful drives, the first being tipped over the bar by Combey, and the second striking the cross-bar and rebounding into play.

At the other end of the field, Ridley obtained possession, and, dribbling through, passed to Purkins, who, although in a very awkward position, sent in a fast cross shot, which struck the underneath of the cross bar to enter the net.

The weather was against good football, but those who missed seeing the game missed a most interesting display.

President Presents the Trophies.

At the end of the game, the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern presented the season's trophies to the winning combinations.

South China received the premier prize, with the Borderers runners-up. The Chinese Athletic were the recipients of the Second Division trophy, with the Lincolns runners up. The Borderers received the Third Division prize, with the Lincolns again in the runners up position.

In presenting the prizes, the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern, with a view to the poor attendance, expressed the hope that next season the game would be held earlier in the season.

Combined Chinese.—Lim Thin-chang; Lau Mau; Leung In-chang; Ho Chiu-yin; Leung Wing-chui; Lai Kwok-chui; Tang Kwong-sun; Lee Chui-lo; Fung King-cheong; Au Kim-fung and Ip Pak-wa.

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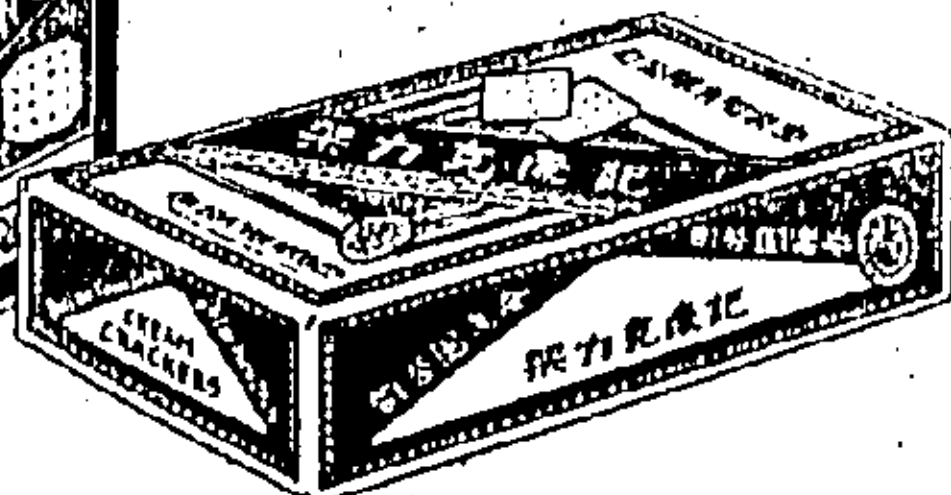
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VAN LOON'S GENIUS AS A TEACHER

"THE HOME OF MANKIND"

(By George Slocombe.)

BISMARCK'S historic gibe at the Frenchman's ignorance of geography is truer of the English than of the French.

We do not know geography because in this country it has always been taught, on what curious theory of pedagogics I have never been able to understand, as a science, somehow distinct from history.

Geography has been the Cinderella of the British educational world. The rags and tatters of school jargon have been considered good enough for her. She has swept the hearth of scholastic careers destined to the admiration of other and more elegant gods. And if on rare occasions, lured away from her domestic drudgery by some modern Marco Polo, some explorer of the Amazon some hero of the Antarctic or the Arctic wastes, she has played truant to the dull routine of islands and peninsulas and gulfs and bays, when the school clock chimes the midnight of romance the romance-starved drab has been recalled. And at nine o'clock on the following morning she is again reciting the old and lesson: "An island is a piece of land entirely surrounded by water."

There are, I know, school in this country where geography is not so shabbily treated. Such treatment should become increasingly rare after the appearance of "The Home of Mankind" (Harrap, 12s. 6d.), a geography in which the drama of this planet is told as vividly as an epic, in which the earth and its land continents and its oceans are no longer seen as at spaces on a schoolroom globe, but as a rugged mass, scarred and tormented and eternally in movement, moving between the waters which are under the firmament and the waters which are above it, a creature of magnetic impulses and shifting seasons.

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"Well," observed the husband, meekly, "I didn't suppose you'd want to wear the coat and waistcoat."

THING OF THE PAST.



"Last night I met a girl, who had never been kissed."

"Impossible! I should like to meet her."

"But she doesn't exist—now."

Only A Dream.

The traveller had held the floor for two hours, boasting about his exploits.

"There," he said, "was I, wearing the edge of a cliff, moving at a terrific rate. The brakes refused to act. Nothing before me but a horrible death. What could I do?"

"What would you have done?"

"Tried to wake up," said the little man in the corner.

dition of Spain under the Moors, a desert race, enamoured of trees and water, who turned the scorched or frozen wastes of the Iberian peninsula into a land of flowering orange trees, almond-trees, sugar-cane and cotton, of fountains and navigable rivers and baths (900 of them in Cordova alone before the Spaniards captured it), and explains why the discovery of America and the lure of easy gold undid in Spain, after the triumph of Ferdinand and Isabella, all the civilization achieved by the vanished Moors.

Fedogues may dismiss Van Loon's story of the earth as a mere planetary Baedeker. And in some ways this is an accurate and by no means a contemptible comparison. For with all his easy, irreverent, Mark Twainish manner of narration he has the Baedeker manner of spilling little pearls of information among a heap of jovial semi-philosophical commonplaces.

Thus he declares, with an audible chuckle that the first use of lead was for loading Roman dics. He makes the whole history of navigation and piracy and empire-building in the Mediterranean vivid to me by the revelation that the lovely word "argosy" is derived from "Aregusa," the old name for the Adriatic port of Ragusa.

He discusses the history, the habits, the commerce, the past and the future of the nations of the world in the same "believe it or not" manner—an air of amused and wondering speculation. But the essential thing is that out of the dry bones of scholastic geography he has brought the story of the earth alive.

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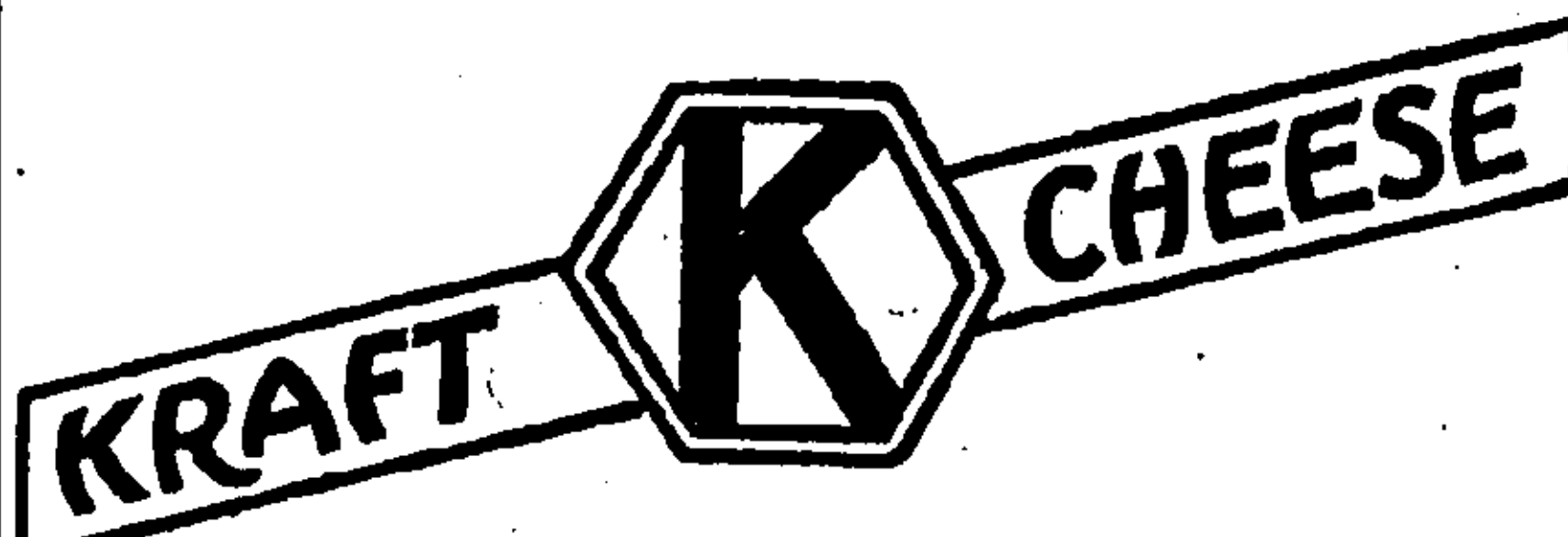
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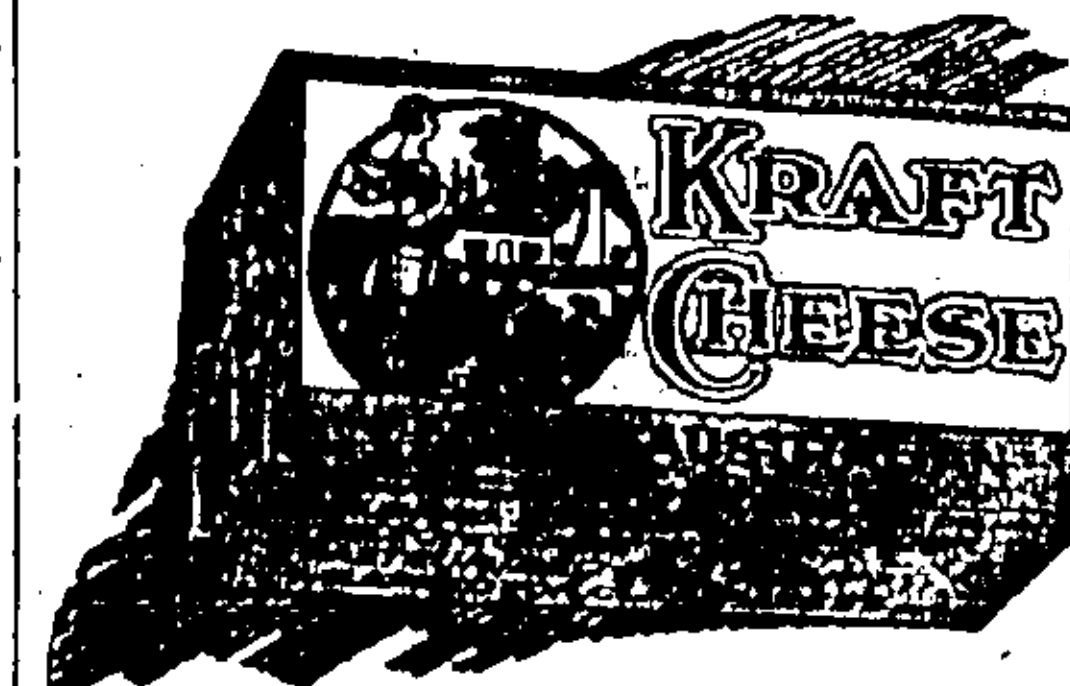
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BRIDGE NOTES

THIRD HAND BIDDING AT BRIDGE SCOPE FOR BAFFLING THE OPPOSITION (By FRANK ENGLAND.)

IN the old days of Auction, and indeed up to quite recently in Contract, the third hand bidder after two passes was enjoined to be chary of opening the bidding. As his partner had passed, showing that he had no justifiable original bid, it was laid down in nearly all the textbooks that third hand must have additional value to risk starting the ball rolling.

I personally always have had my doubts about the wisdom of this teaching, and recently the American writer and player, Mr. P. Hal Sims, in his book "Money Contract," confounds the critics by laying down that the requirements for a third hand opening bid are considerably less rigorous than are those for the dealer or second hand.

This sounds revolutionary, but there is a good deal of logic in the theory, if one considers the position. It is true that the dealer has passed—denying the necessary high-card strength—but still he may have some high cards and quite a strong hand distributionally waiting his opportunity to jump into the bidding on the second round.

If, on the other hand, he is weak in both high cards and distribution, then it is any odds that fourth hand is the strong hand of the four and will make a bid, and it is very probable that he and his partner have game, possibly a slam.

It is up to third hand, particularly when not vulnerable, to do all in his power to hamper the opponents in their bidding and prevent them, if possible, from reaching game or slam.

Third hand non-vulnerable against opponents vulnerable justifies a bid in hands below the accepted standard for original calls. In these circumstances third hand should try to visualise what the holding of fourth hand is.

This can, of course, only be done legitimately by a study of his own hand. If he is weak in high cards, fourth hand is probably strong; if, on the other hand, he has sufficient high card strength to defeat a game, it is better to pass, as the opponents are the more likely to overbid.

In many senses, the weaker third hand may, it is true, jump him to bid. There is not as much risk as might be supposed, if third hand bids on a weak holding. His partner may, it is true, jump him to game, but he is not likely to be very strong, and, in any case, with the knowledge that it is a third hand bid non-vulnerable, he should proceed warily.

Example Hands.

Fourth hand may be suspicious of the third hand bid, but he can never be certain that he is being deceived unless all the remaining high card strength is massed in his hand. He is to some extent left guessing as to whether third hand is making a genuine bid or not. This element of doubt may, in some instances, be just enough to stop him or his partner from bidding game or slam.

Let us consider a few example hands. Recently I bid One Heart on Spades J x, x, Hearts K Q 9 x, Diamonds J x, Clubs Q 8 x, non-vulnerable against vulnerable opponents, third hand after two passes (and in all examples these conditions are assumed) and ably supported by a Three Diamond bid on the second round by my partner, the opponents stopped short at Three Spades, when a small slam in Spades could have been made. My hand fell considerably short of original bid standards.

Suppose as third hand you hold Spades A, K, Q, x, x, Hearts J, x, x, Diamonds J, x, x, Clubs x, x, it is imperative to make a bid of some kind. One Spades is the obvious one. This may do all any of three things. It will prevent fourth hand bidding No Trumps; it will direct an immediate lead from partner, and it may "choke" the opponents off a game or slam. Yet many would hesitate to open the bidding as dealer on this holding.

Third hand may, again, have had a hand such as Spades x, x, Hearts K, J, 10, x, x, x, Diamonds x, x, Clubs x, x. Fourth hand has probably game in Spades or perhaps No Trumps. Take the wind out of his sails by bidding No Trumps yourself, if doubled or overcalled "escape" with Two Hearts. The penalty if doubled cannot exceed 450, well worth while to save a game.

A good "interference" bid by third hand on Spades x, x, Hearts Diamonds K, x, x, Clubs A, K, Q,

J, x, x, would be Two No Trumps, with a retreat to Three Clubs if doubled. Maximum penalty if again doubled 450, less 100 for honours. An original Two No Trumps bid is always difficult to deal with, and causes even expert bidders to think furiously.

Of course, if third hand has a genuine, honest bid he makes it in the usual way, and honest bids varied with occasional psychic or semipsychic bids make it very difficult for the opposition. Many a game and slam have been prevented by third hand "bluff" bids. Third hand non-vulnerable after two passes is the position par excellence for the exploiting of these bids. Even an expert fourth hand, although suspicious of a "psychic," can never be quite sure. For "How prone to doubt, how cautious are the wise."

Psychic bidding third hand can be quite amusing and confusing. Such a hand as Spades, x, Hearts x, Diamonds x x x, Clubs K J 10 9 8 x x x gives scope for baffling the opposition. Start with One Spade, if over-bid or doubled switch Two Hearts. If the opponents refuse to leave you alone in this as in more than probable, try Three Clubs and see how they react. If doubled the maximum "set" is 450, and you may be sure a certain game has been saved. Such bidding may not deceive fourth hand if very strong, but it is bound to have an effect on his partner, who can hardly sense the situation precisely.

And one last word on third hand bids—remember, do not try "psychics" when vulnerable, the penalties are too severe; and also never try one when you have figured the maximum cost of the ultimate bid, always assuming your partner has no trick. As between partners there should be no confusion. You know when you make the bid that your partner has passed, and he knows that you know this. He should leave you to control the situation.

To-day's Bridge Tip.

North—

Club—K 8 3 2

Club: Q 10 7 4

South is playing No Trumps and has the lead. How should he play the Club suit?

Answer

Lead a small one to the King and, if it wins, return a small one, and if East plays small finesse the 10. If the Ace takes the King first round, the 10 should still be finessed on getting in again in North.

NEW TERROR FACING SHOP RAIDERS

Ray To Thwart Smash
And Grab Thieves.

London.

An ingenious piece of mechanism which has been invented recently is intended to thwart smash-and-grab raiders who try to rob shops. It is based on the invisible infrared ray.

This, according to the inventor, is how it works. The noise of smashed glass first affects a Diaphragm. The diaphragm in turn operates a switch—but not for several seconds. It is delayed just long enough for the thief to thrust his hand through the broken glass to grab his booty. Then—presto!—two loops are drawn swiftly over the wrists of the raider, and he is caught!—Reuter.

MICE START FIRE IN CHIMNEY.

Large House Destroyed
In Germany.

Berlin.

Mice are now revealed to have been the cause of a fire which destroyed a large house at Heilbrunn (Schleswig) forcing the occupants, some of whom were ill with influenza, to rush into the open air for safety.

The fire had started in the chimney, where a colony of mice had hollowed out a nest in the wall and filled it with hay. The hay became ignited by the heat of the stove.—Reuter.

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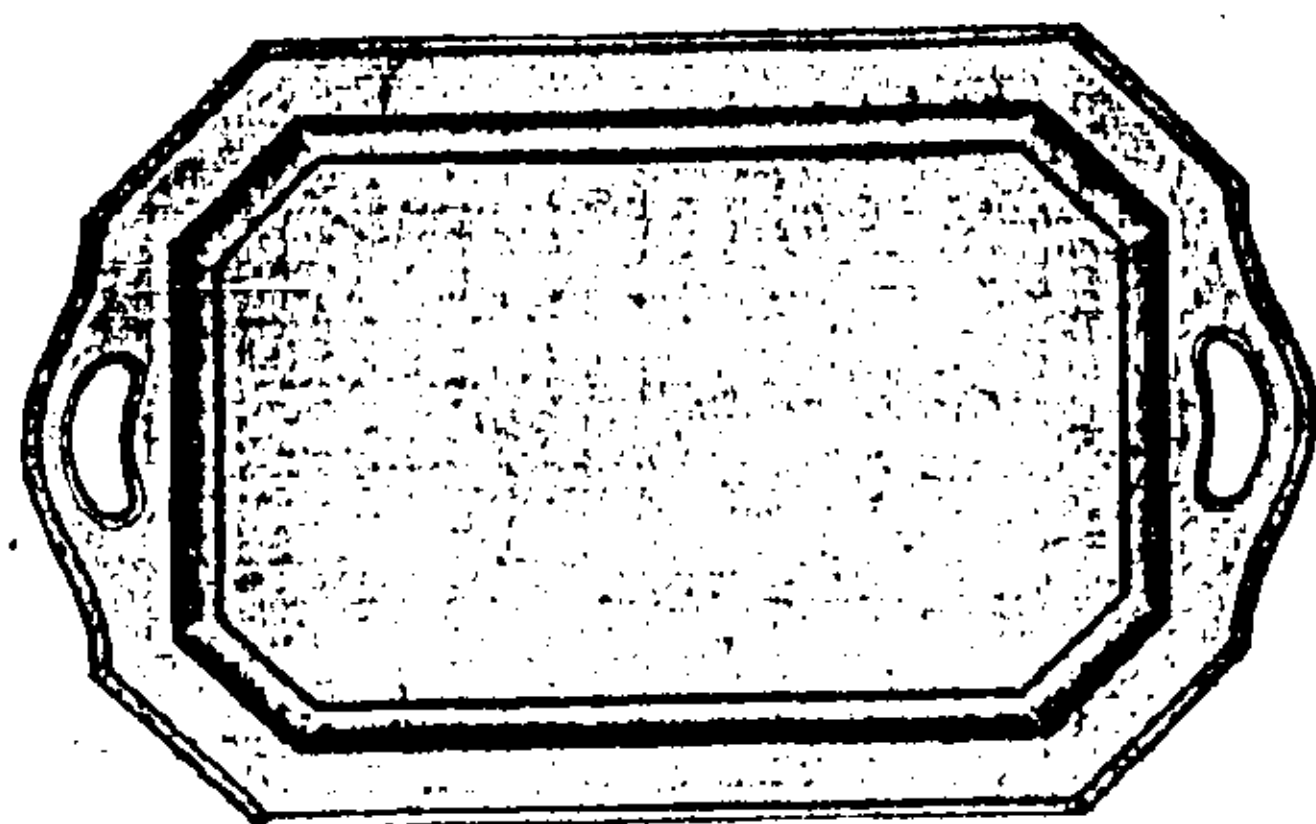
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British Empire Fair.

ALTHOUGH there were a few minor unsatisfactory features, the British Empire Fair has been attended by splendid results. But the very success of the Fair has raised many problems, which demand an early solution. What is to be the future of the Fair? Various suggestions have been advanced, and it has been successively proposed that the Fair be greatly extended; that it be merged into a World Fair, or, alternatively, into an annual Carnival; and that a Chinese section be added. Immediate consideration of these questions is advisable, indeed essential, and an early meeting of the organising committee and the exhibitors would prove advantageous. It is to be trusted that a sober view will be taken of ambitious schemes and that the original object of the Fair, namely, to promote British trade in Hong Kong and South China, is not forgotten when over-enthusiastic proposals are advocated. It is the view of many that the Fair should be continued in its present form, and that attention be concentrated on improvements, modifications and methods of extending it—as a British Empire Fair. Any suggestions for a World Fair, a Carnival or a Bazaar should be treated separately and not be allowed to confuse the main issue.

It would be well, too, in viewing the Fair in retrospect to consider that much of its success was superficial. When it is stated that record crowds attended, it should be remembered that quite 80 per cent. of the visitors were composed of the coolie and fuki classes. These people attended purely out of curiosity. Unrestricted, they swarmed around the exhibits, crowded genuine visitors and potential customers, disturbed the stands and harassed the exhibitors. They deterred many residents who had intended to visit the exhibition, and to their behaviour can be attributed the reason for the comparatively small attendance of Europeans. It is easy to be wise after the event, but the organizers showed a surprising lack of foresight in this regard, and a more remarkable lack of initiative in their failure to cope with the situation after the opening day. Emergency measures would have prevented the daily invasion, and if objection was manifested to the imposition of a nominal admission charge, those visitors who obviously belonged to the coolie class could have been excluded at certain times, or, alternatively, conducted around the stands in orderly, controlled groups. However, the remedy can be applied for the next Fair, and it is a matter for pride and satisfaction that the exhibition was favoured with such excellent results in the number and the high standard of the exhibits, the interest aroused, and the large number of sales effected at the stands. Congratulations are due to the principal organizers, particularly to the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga who repeated his excellent efforts for the initial Fair. The chairman and secretary of the committee, the Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson and Mr. M. F. Key, and Mr. J. H. Taggart, also contributed valuable work, while the keen interest evinced by His Excellency and Lady Peel has been very encouraging. The amazing development of this year's exhibition must be particularly gratifying to Lady Peel who was responsible for developing the Fair idea in the Colony. The tremendous amount of work involved and the heavy calls made on the principal organizers direct attention to the proposal that a permanent, paid secretary be appointed. The present arrangement might suffice if more of the work devolved on a committee composed of exhibitors and Trade Commissioners. In this connection it is pleasing to note that the Governor has hopes that a British Trade Commissioner may be appointed in the near future. Such an appointment would be extremely welcome, and expert study of local requirements should prove profitable to British trading firms. It is quite likely, also, that an Australian Commissioner will be appointed to promote a greater market in Hong Kong and South China.

With the experience gained at the first two functions it should be possible to adapt and improve arrangements and organization to make next year's Fair even more outstanding. Special Days can be detailed, including a Children's Day, and a Canton Day, on which facilities can be extended for visitors from Canton and up-country districts. The date is suitable, and the Fair would lose in significance if it were opened at any other occasion than Empire Day. The May weather is not altogether appropriate but compensation is made by the fact that at this period of the year there are few distractions.

CHAMPION FIDDLER OF THE HILLS

Bootlegger Wins
Reprieve.

OLD JOHN CARSON

Atlanta. Ol' John Carson—he was a mountain moonshiner in the bustling and burly era and still is as spry as a speckled colt—is the boss fiddler of the hill country at 65.

A fiddler, it should be explained, is a man who plays breakdowns on a violin, and a breakdown is a piece about country folks and the things they like and do.

The Arkansas traveller was an Al fiddler in his day. Bob Taylor, orator, Senator from Tennessee and Governor, was good too as a breakdown player, but fiddlin' John Carson of Gawga, Ark., is the head man of the fiddlin' clan.

John is 65 now and he's known from the Carolina hills to Mississippi mud as the fiddlingest fiddler who ever came around the mountain. He's won a flock of medals.

He was a boy of 11—that was 64 years ago—when he really started fiddling. There was a political speaking at Copperhill, Tenn. John was among the mountaineers who crossed the Georgia line to hear the fun. He had a fiddle wrapped in a homespun pillow case. John was a timid mountain sprout in tattered clothes, but the fiddle was a beautiful thing. His grandfather had given it to him, and nearly a 100 years before that, one of the Carsons had fetched the fiddle from Ireland to the Blue Ridges of Georgia.

The political crowd tired of speeches—they were viewing with alarm and pointing with pride even in those days—and somebody asked the boy to play a tune. John played the "Little old log cabin in the lane." The crowd whooped. The speakers ranted, but the crowd listened to John.

A big man in a broad hat elbowed his way through the crowd and asked the boy his name.

"John Carson, sah, from Gawga," said the lad.

"From now on it's fiddlin' John Carson," said the stranger. The man was Bob Taylor whose silver tongue stirred the nation and who fought the war of the roses with his Republican brother, Alf Taylor.

John became a moonshiner at an early age. It wasn't against the law to make liquor in those days if you paid the tax, but John didn't, so the "revenuers" got him. He was in jail when a fiddlers' convention came here. The sheriff agreed to let him compete and promised to free him if he won. John won his freedom, the Championship of the State, \$50 and a new suit.

John travelled over all the land, fiddling as he went. He won the Dixie title so many times that he was barred from competition.

And at 65 he still fiddles. His favourite tune is the "Little old log cabin in the lane"—a piece he dedicated to Bob Taylor.—Reuter.

LIKED THE WEDDING CEREMONY.

Husbands Want To Be
Re-Married.

London. Two happy husbands walked into register offices recently with their wives and asked to be married again. They liked the ceremony so much the first time they just wanted it repeated, that was all.

Then a woman told the registrar that she, too, wanted to re-marry her present husband. She said that seven years ago they had been married on a Friday the 13th. Ever since they had had bad luck. He had lost his job, their child had died. So the pair wanted to be re-married on any other day than a "Friday the 13th."—Reuter.

INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB.

To Be Opened On June 6
By Mrs. Southorn.

The Hong Kong Women's International Club, for business and professional women, Rooms 3, 4 and 5, 1st floor, Chung Tin Building, will be formally opened by Mrs. W. T. Southorn, wife of the Colonial Secretary, at 5 p.m., on June 6.

Tea will be served from 5 to 7 p.m., those interested are heartily welcome.



LONDON

TOPICS

from
OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

April 27.

The Richmond Controversy.

The Royal Palace at Richmond, the site of which would be overlooked by the blocks of flats that it is proposed to erect near by, was a favourite residence of King Henry VII. It was here, too, on April 21, 1509, that he died.

The King built the residence on the ruins of the ancient palace of Shene, which was destroyed by fire in 1497, and renamed it Richmond because he and his father had been Earls of Richmond.

Sadly enough, the new house was burnt down in 1806, but the King promptly rebuilt it.

It was described as an "old ruined building" in the year 1700, and little now remains beyond the gateway, which still displays the much-weathered arms of its founder.

"A Butcher's Doggo."

Cardinal Wolsey—one of its most famous occupants—was allowed to use it after the transfer of Hampton Court to his Royal master.

This by no means pleased the local people, who are said to have exclaimed: "See a butcher's doggo dotho lie in the Manner of Richmond!"

Relief for Philatelists.

Stamp collectors will be secretly relieved at Lord Munster's announcement in the House of Lords recently, that the Post Office has no intention of issuing a new set of stamps or of adopting the foreign custom of commemorative issues.

These commemorative issues have become a terrible tax on the philatelist. For instance, the stamps of Soviet Russia, which are beautifully executed, are very expensive for the collector, owing to the fact that every year a new set is brought out to celebrate either the Revolution of 1917 or the birth of some revolutionary leader.

Prince's 'Bodyguard' Retires.

Nothing could tell more realistically the universal popularity of the Prince of Wales than the fact that not once during the past seven years has his private bodyguard been called upon to take active measures for the protection of his charge.

Detective-Inspector W. T. Palmer, who has just retired after filling that responsible role since 1926, says that the nearest approach to danger which has come within his knowledge has taken the form of anonymous letters.

Whenever anything bearing on the Prince's personal safety was received, it was passed on to Mr. Palmer for investigation. But nothing has ever come of the dark suggestions hinted at in such communications.

Curious Letters.

Nearly every day since 1922 the Prince has received a letter containing a scriptural text, generally copied from the Book of Revelation.

With the exception of a short period in August last, when they came from Ilkley, these letters are always post-marked Glasgow, but all attempts to trace the sender have failed.

Another envelope bearing the Hamburg postmark has arrived at York House regularly each month since the Armistice. It contains a hundred-mark note, without any covering letter. The money is always passed on to some charity.

The Bachelor's Old Home.

It is now more than three years since the members of the Bachelors' Club found themselves obliged to vacate their old home at the corner of Hamilton Place and Piccadilly and move to South Audley Street.

A new block of moderate-priced flats is now to be erected in place of the old club-house—a fine mansion.

The Bachelors, founded by the late Mr. William Gillette in 1881, had enjoyed occupancy at an annual rental of round about £400 a

year, but that was by the indulgence of the late Mr. Alfred Farquhar, himself a member of the club and landlord of the property.

After his death his successor, Mr. Ernest Farquhar, did not continue this arrangement, and the Bachelors were unable to bear the burden of a proposed extension of lease at a figure understood at the time to be in the neighbourhood of £3,000 per year.

Arabia at the R.A.

If the opinion of the Arabs who have seen it is a true criterion, the portrait which Mr. W. W. Russell has painted of Mr. Bertram Thomas, the Arabian explorer, for this year's Academy, is likely to be one of the features of the forthcoming exhibition at Burlington House.

The colouring of Mr. Thomas's Bedouin clothes, the intensity of the blue desert sky, and the background of camels watering at a stagnant hole have impressed them as "the real thing."

Unlike "T. E. Lawrence," who was "not to dress up in the finest of Arab garments," Mr. Thomas is represented in clothes very similar to those in which he made his crossing of the Great Southern Desert of Arabia. Also, he lacks a beard. But he does wear an extremely fine gold dagger from Nejd.

From Farm to Studio.

Mr. R. G. Eves's election as an A.R.A. is a happy sequel to the embarrassing "photography" incident of a couple of years ago. He is a fine artist, and his portraits have always shown a welcome lack of modern "finess."

Mr. Eves is a self-made man, in that he comes of Yorkshire farming stock and had, in his youth, to work on a farm, which he hated. He scored one of his biggest successes with a portrait of Thomas Hardy, who was a most frascibe sitter.

Business Men's Air Journeys.

An innovation in air passenger transport specially designed for business men is announced. In the past those who have had to travel frequently to the Continent by air, found that, owing to time-table arrangements, such journeys had to be made in time "stolen" from business hours. Night trips are always available and are sometimes inevitable, but hours of travel by night are not the best preparation for a hard day's work.

Now, to facilitate urgent business trips to Paris, Imperial Airways have introduced a service which leaves the London air-station each evening at 6.45 and arrives at Le Bourget at 9, dinner being served on board during the flight. An afternoon service for those who wish to reach Paris earlier in the evening has also been inaugurated, leaving Croydon at 3.30 and landing at 5.45. There are corresponding services from Paris to London.

Lord Francis Scott.

Lord Francis Scott, brother of the Duke of Buccleuch, who has recently come back from his home in Kenya for a few months, has decided to undergo an operation for amputation of his leg, which was terribly wounded early in the war.

Lord Francis, who has already undergone many operations in attempts to make good the injuries, has now been assured that he will be much more comfortable with an artificial limb.

He will then be able to dispense with the crutches on which he has limped for the past sixteen years.

About Again.

Another war veteran with a distinguished war record in the Grenadiers, who, like Lord Francis Scott, has spent a number of post-war years in Kenya—Brig.-Gen. Claude Champion de Crespigny—is out and about again.

He recently underwent a severe internal operation in Lady Carnarvon's London nursing home. For a time grave fears were felt for his life, but once more a very tough constitution has triumphed.

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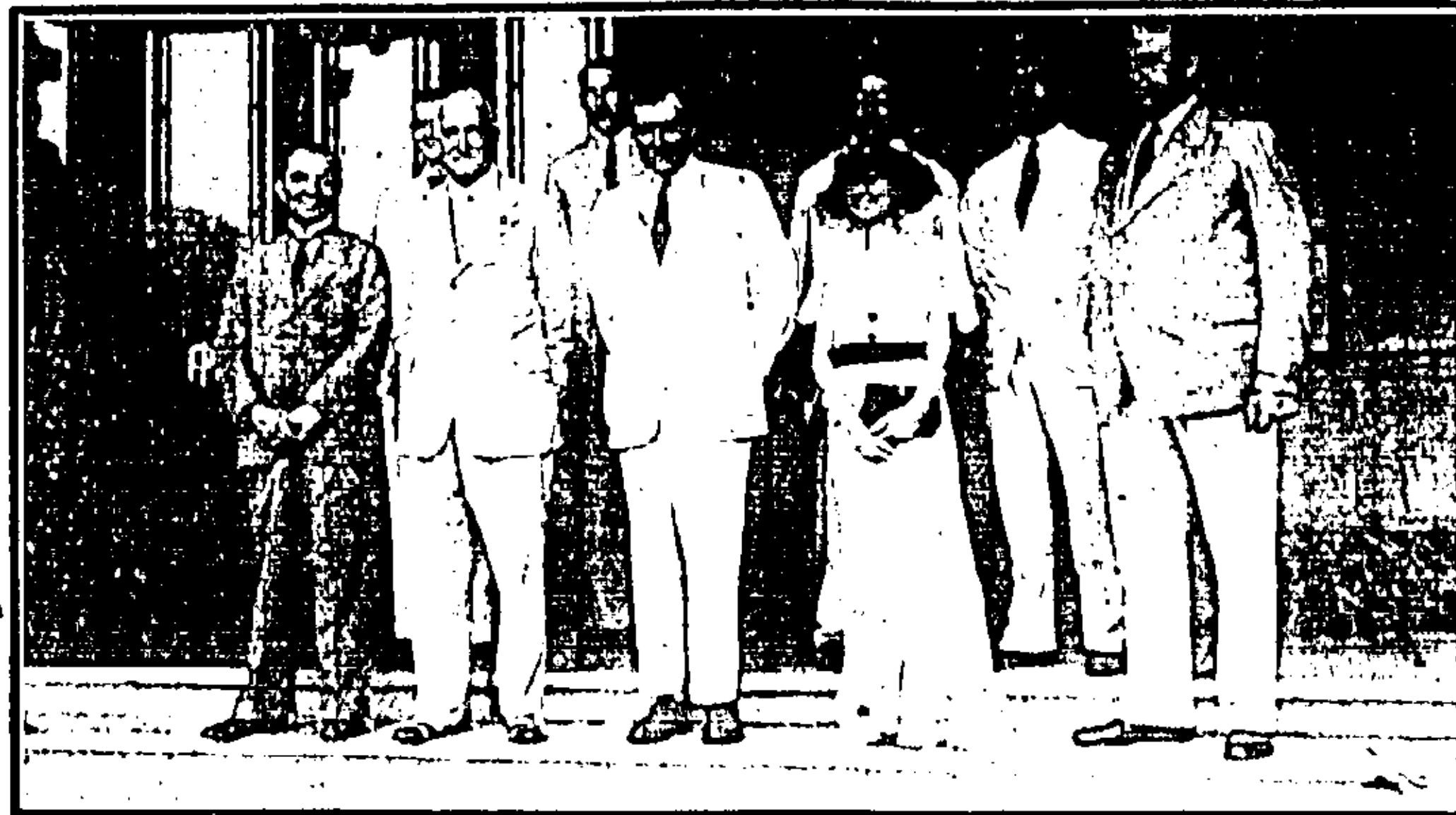
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PICTORIAL SOUVENIR OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE FAIR
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The "KLIM" stand in the Canadian Section of the Empire Fair, with the two charming young ladies serving ice cold drinks of KLIM-MILK to visitors, was one of the most popular centres at the Fair. The local agents for KLIM are Messrs. Siemens & Co.



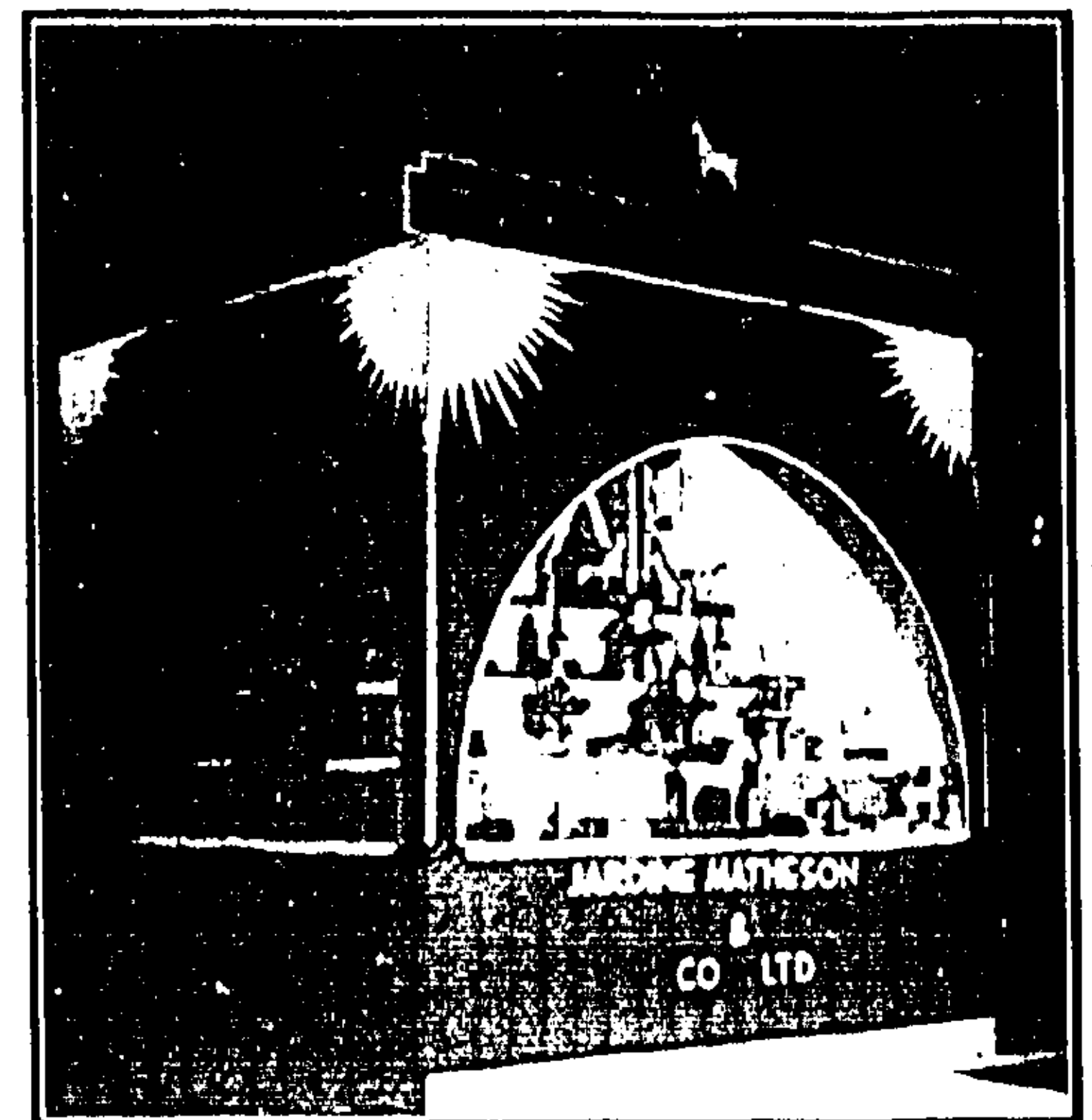
Photograph taken on the occasion of the opening of the British Empire Fair at the Peninsula Hotel on Wednesday, May 24, 1933. Included in the group are H. E. The Governor, Sir William Peel and Lady Peel, Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson, Hon. Mr. J. L. Braga, Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, Mr. M. F. Key, Major V. E. Duclos, Mr. S. T. Williamson and Mr. R. F. Walter.



H. E. The Governor Sir William Peel arriving at the Peninsula Hotel.



H. E. The Governor talking with Major V. E. Duclos, the Canadian Trade Commissioner.



The "White Horse" was prominently displayed, as usual, in the centre of the Empire Fair in the Peninsula Hotel lobby, by Messrs. Jardine Matheson & Co., Ltd.



One of the most unique and attractive mechanical exhibits was that of the Hong Kong Telephone Company, Ltd., which included a demonstration of the wonderful teleprinter mechanism and the working of the uncanny automatic telephone, etc.

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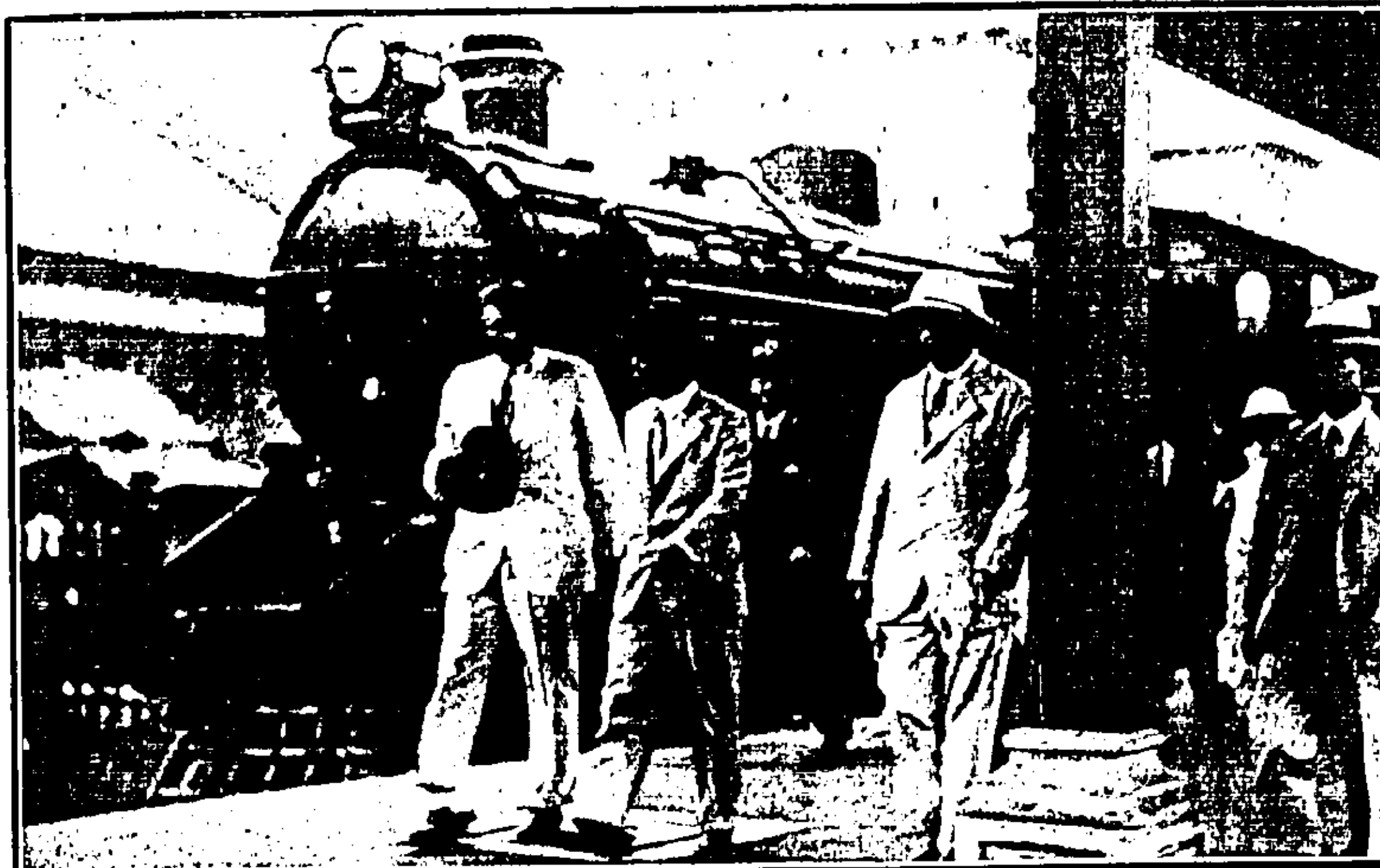
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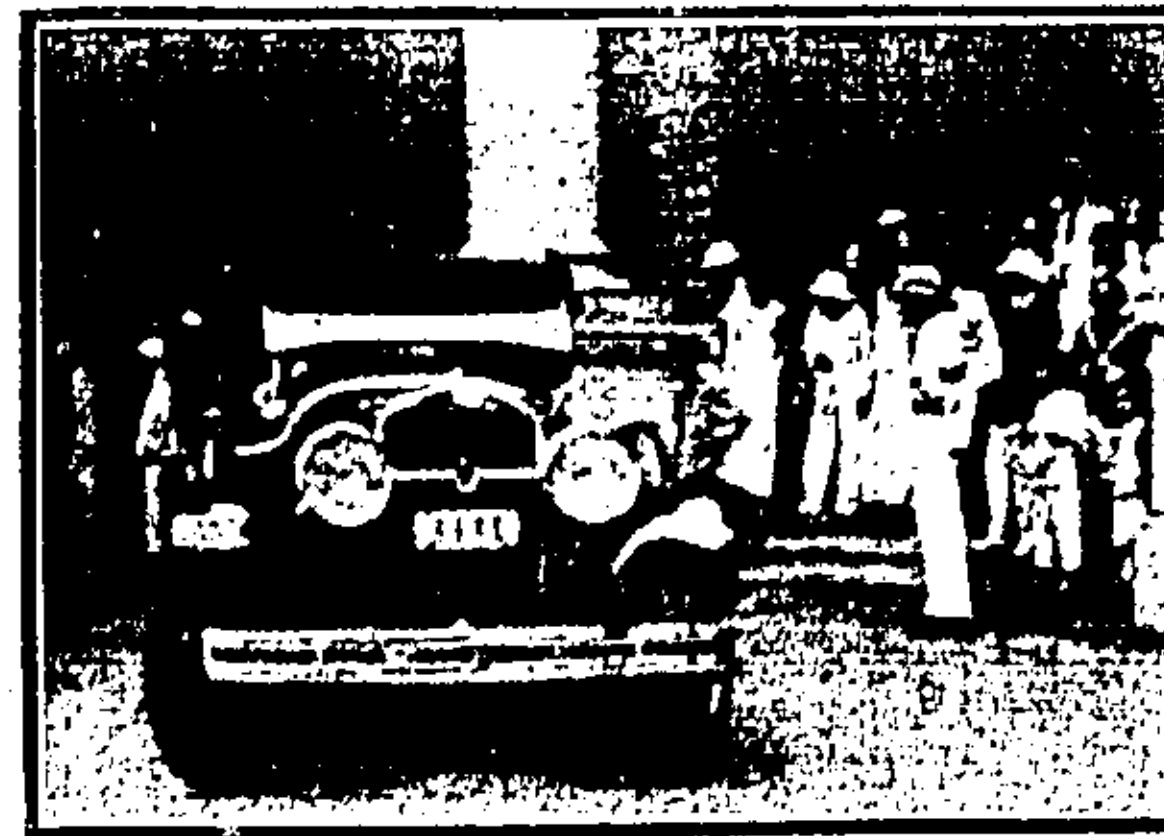
DINNER
DANCES.



The Canton officials visiting the Fair were welcomed at the station by representatives of the general committee. This picture shows the Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson with Mr. Lin Yun-koy, Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government.



The arrival of the Canton officials at the Kowloon Railway Station.



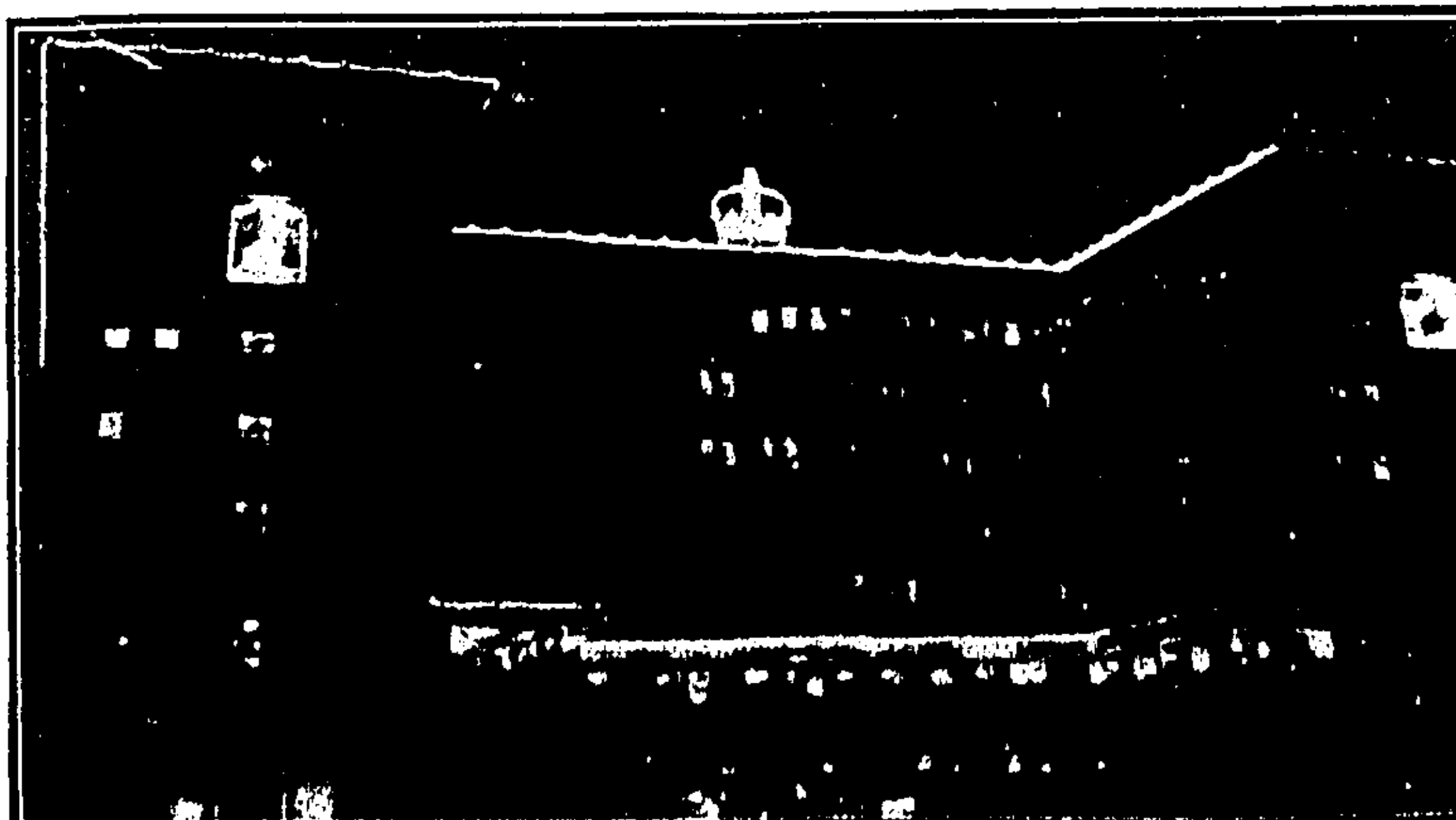
The Canton officials leaving the Kowloon Railway Station for the Peninsula Hotel.



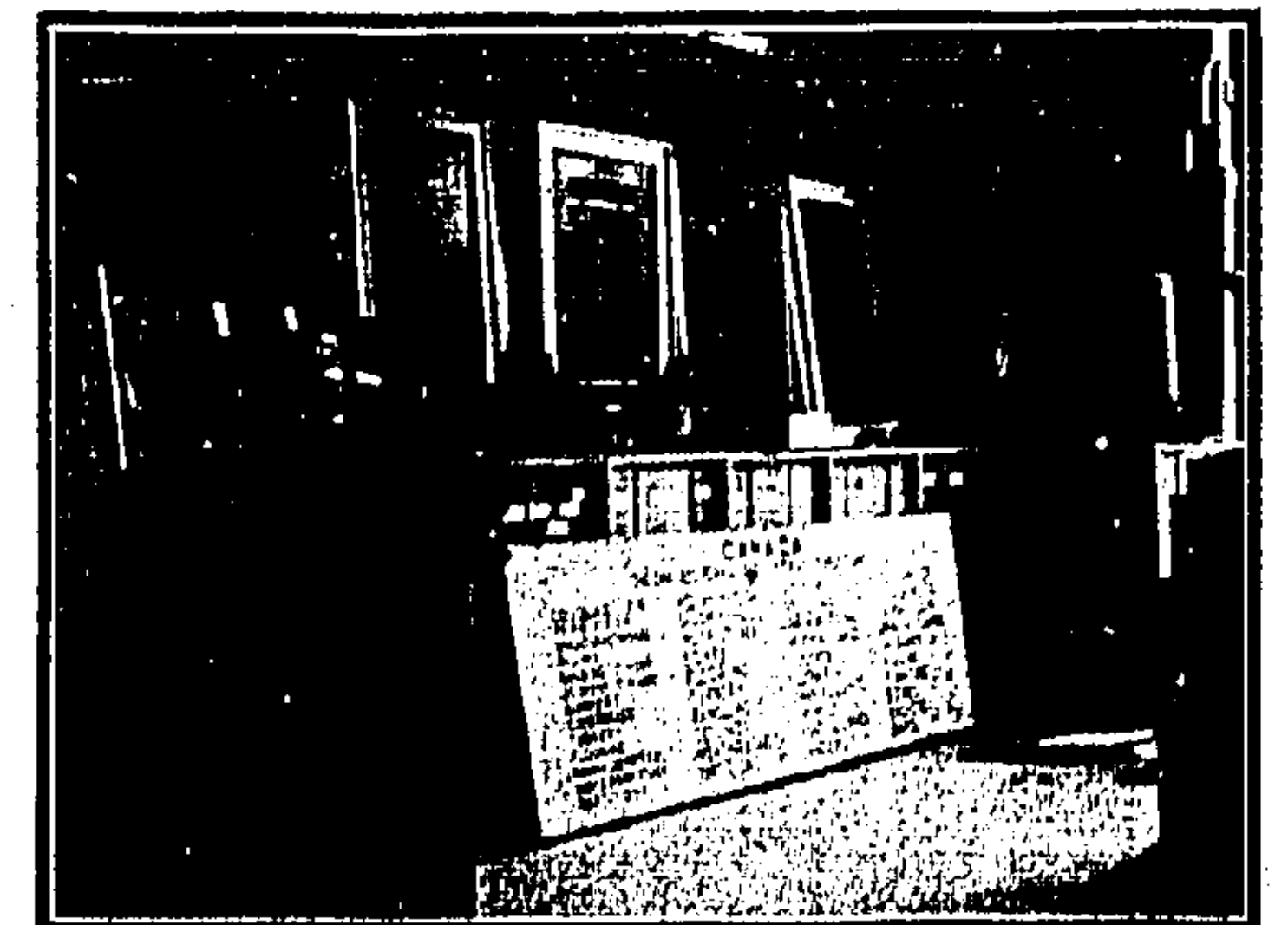
The above is the attractive display of Powell River Newsprint in the Canadian Section. The daily production of the Powell River Co., Ltd., Vancouver, is 650 tons. The China Mail and the Sunday Herald are printed on Powell River paper.



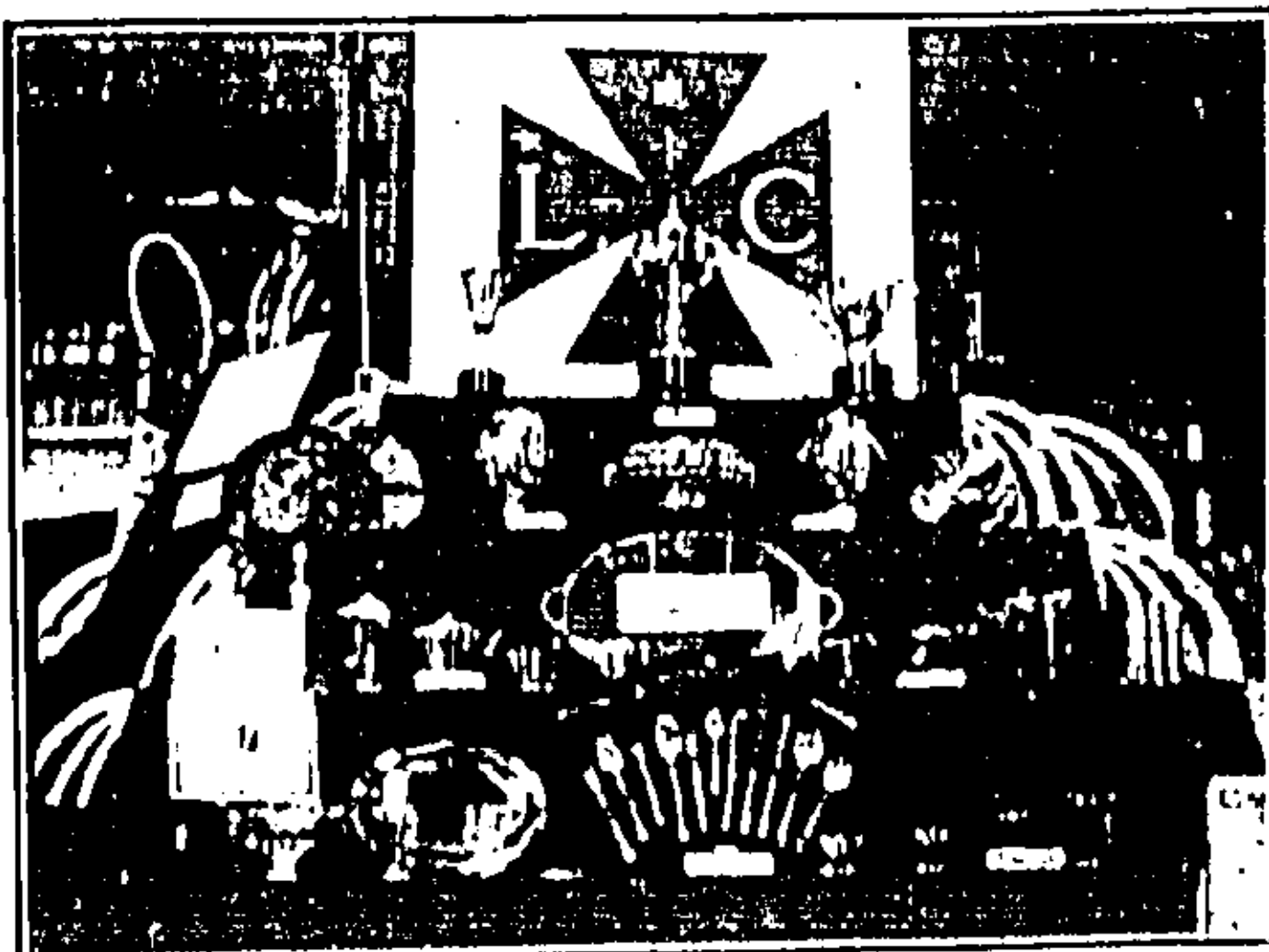
The artistic display of gas fixtures and heaters, cookers and other conveniences in the stand of the Hong Kong & China Gas Co., Ltd. proved especially attractive to both Chinese and foreign ladies.



The Peninsula Hotel specially illuminated for the occasion greatly impressed the large crowds who visited the Fair.



This interesting display of Canadian wood from British Columbia was one of the most unique in the Canadian section, being in charge of Mr. Leonard R. Andrews, representing the Associated Timber Exporters of British Columbia and the B.C. Lumber & Shingle Manufacturers, Ltd.



Lane Crawford's display of fine Mappin & Webb silverware was one of the most exquisite displays at the Fair, and doubtless many decisions regarding future wedding or birthday gifts were made by visitors as they feasted their eyes on the many choice articles of silverware.



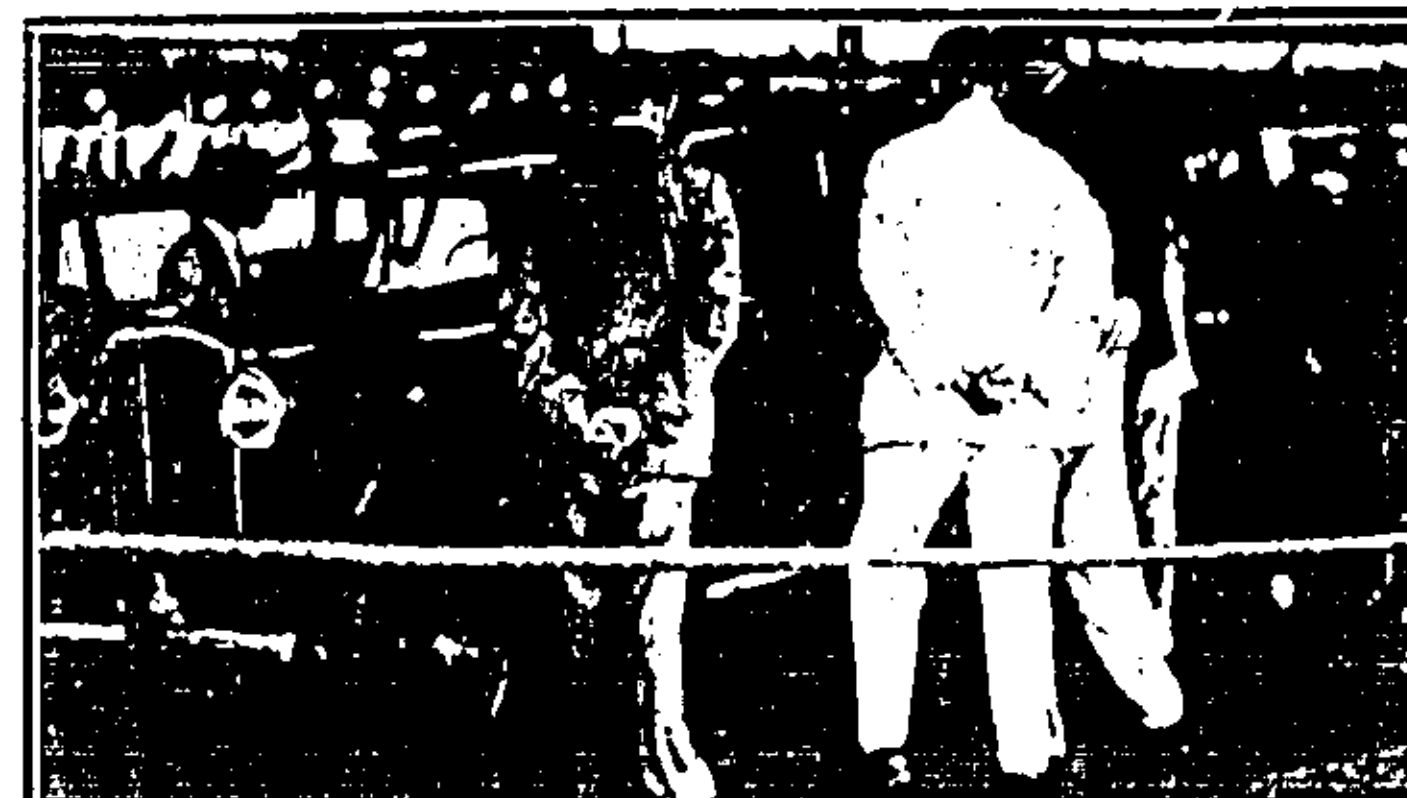
A group of Chinese visitors eagerly listening to an exposition of the merits of British Empire products.



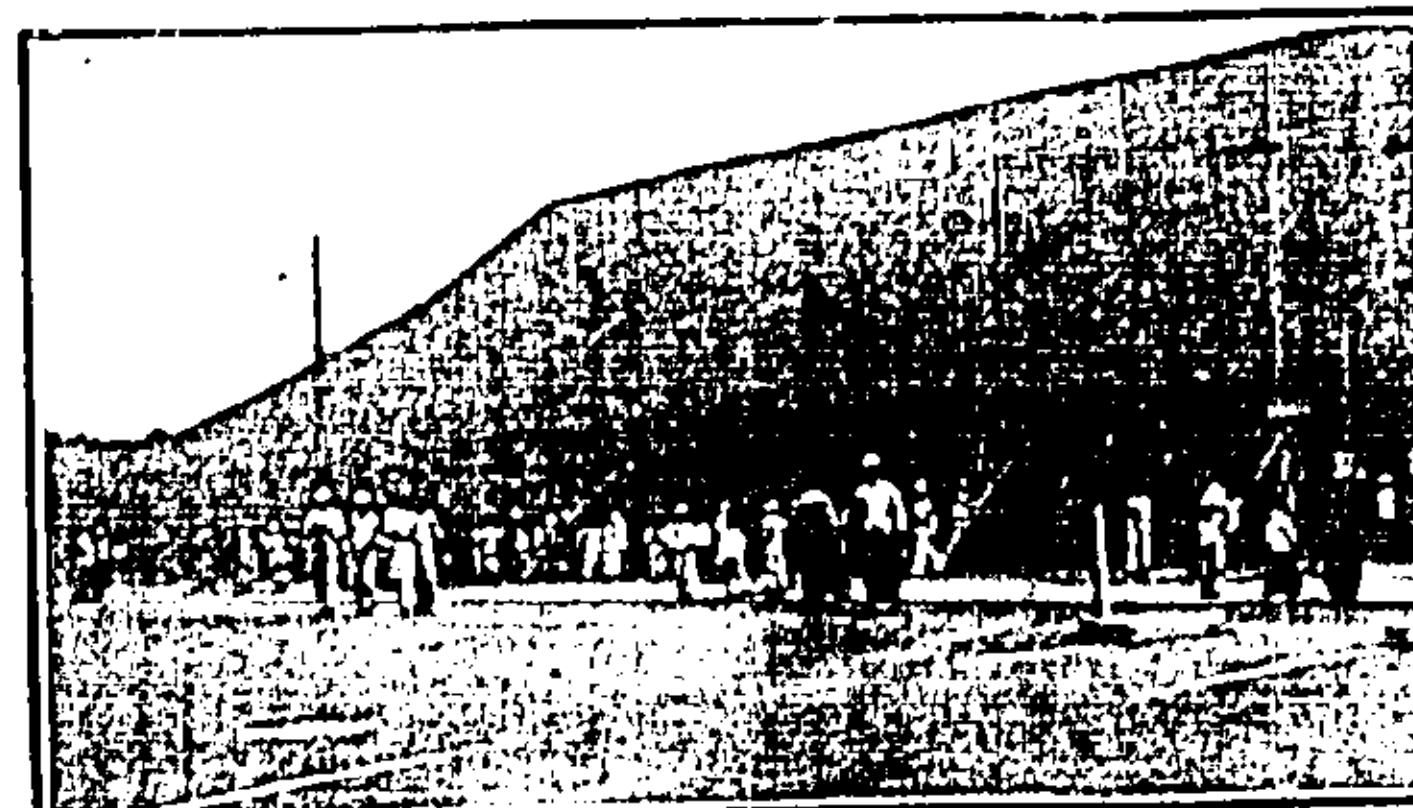
Some interested Chinese visitors going through the exhibit of vegetables and fruits grown in the New Territories.



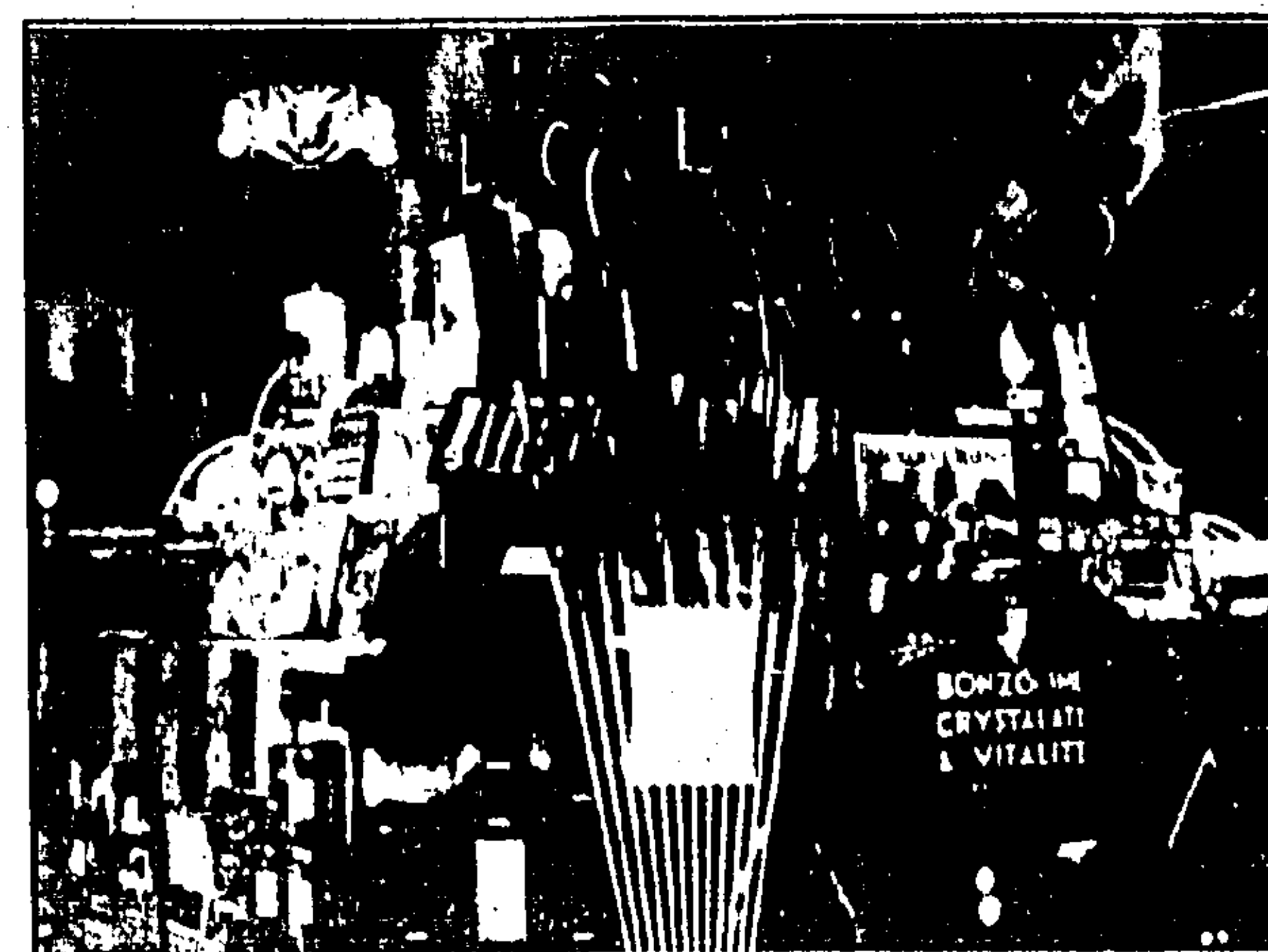
Some of the visitors to the Empire Fair outside the main entrance to the Peninsula Hotel.



The Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga and the Hon. Colonial Secretary, Mr. W. T. Southern, intent upon inspection of one of the many beautiful new models exhibited in the motor section of the Fair.



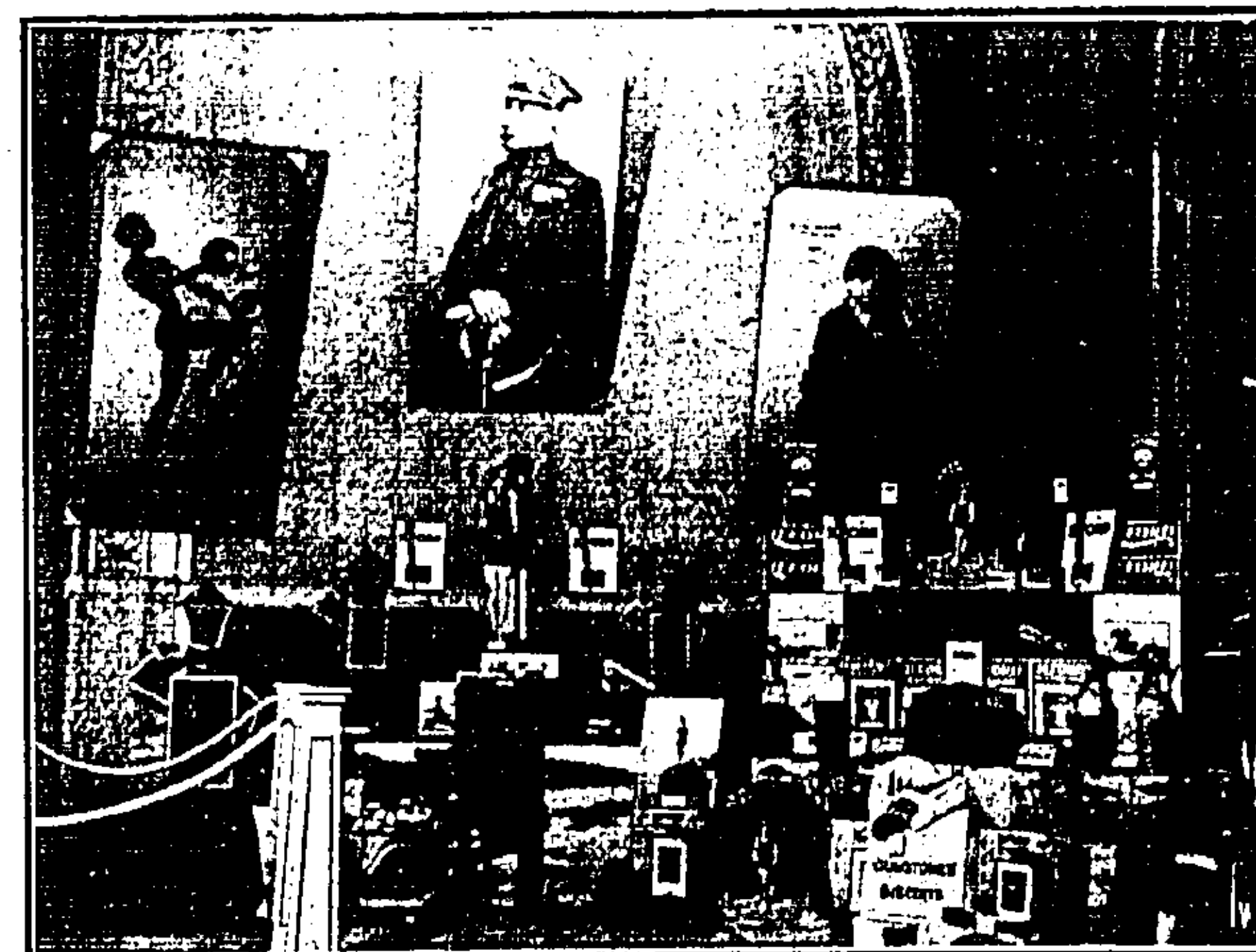
The side of one of the two large matchsheds erected for the Empire Fair on the lot across Nathan Road from the Peninsula Hotel.



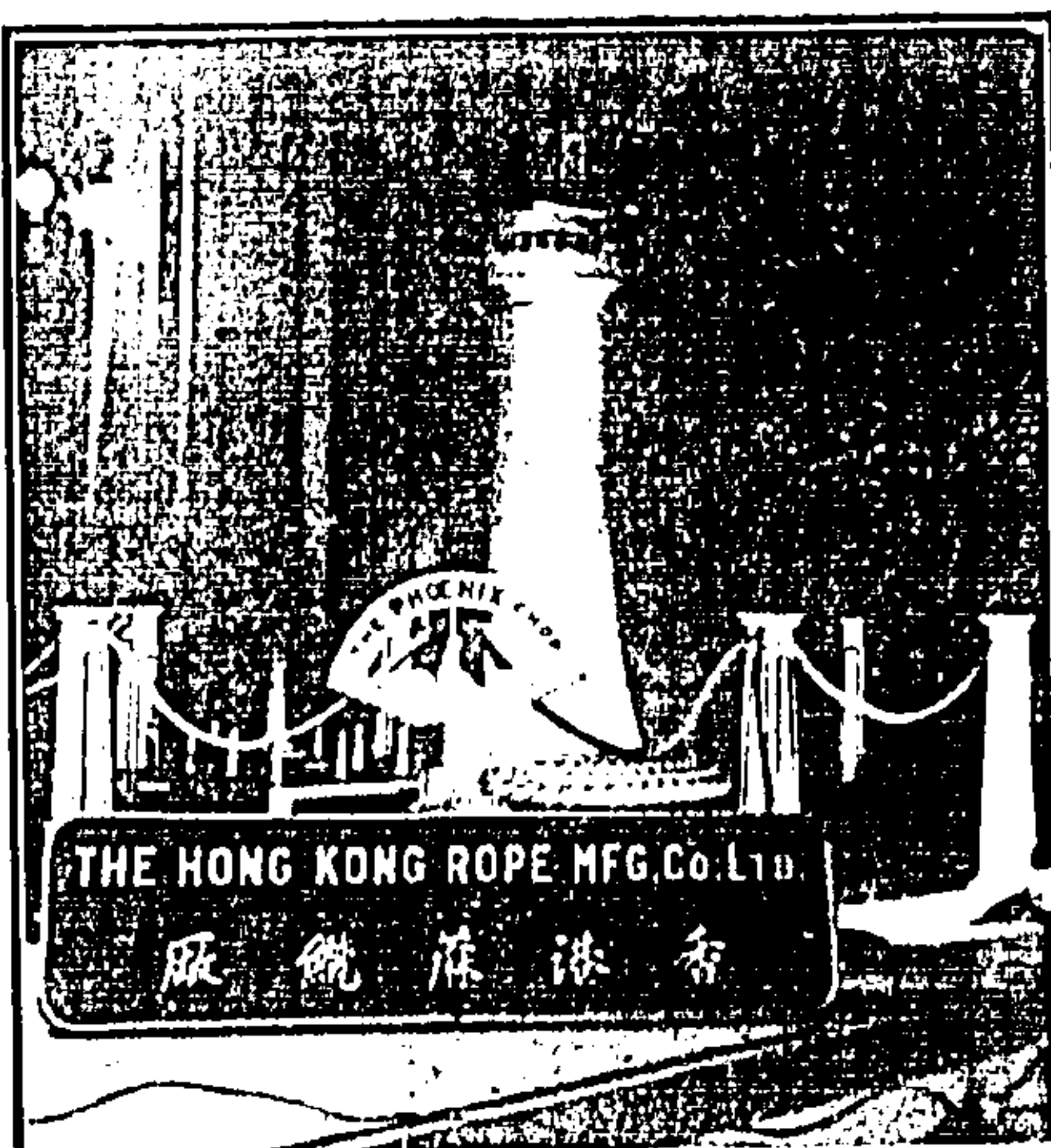
Messrs. Lane Crawford, Ltd., established in 1850, one of the pioneer distributors of Empire products in Hong Kong and the Far East, had a most artistic and colourful display in several sections, but, of course, it was possible to include only a fraction of their many lines of goods.



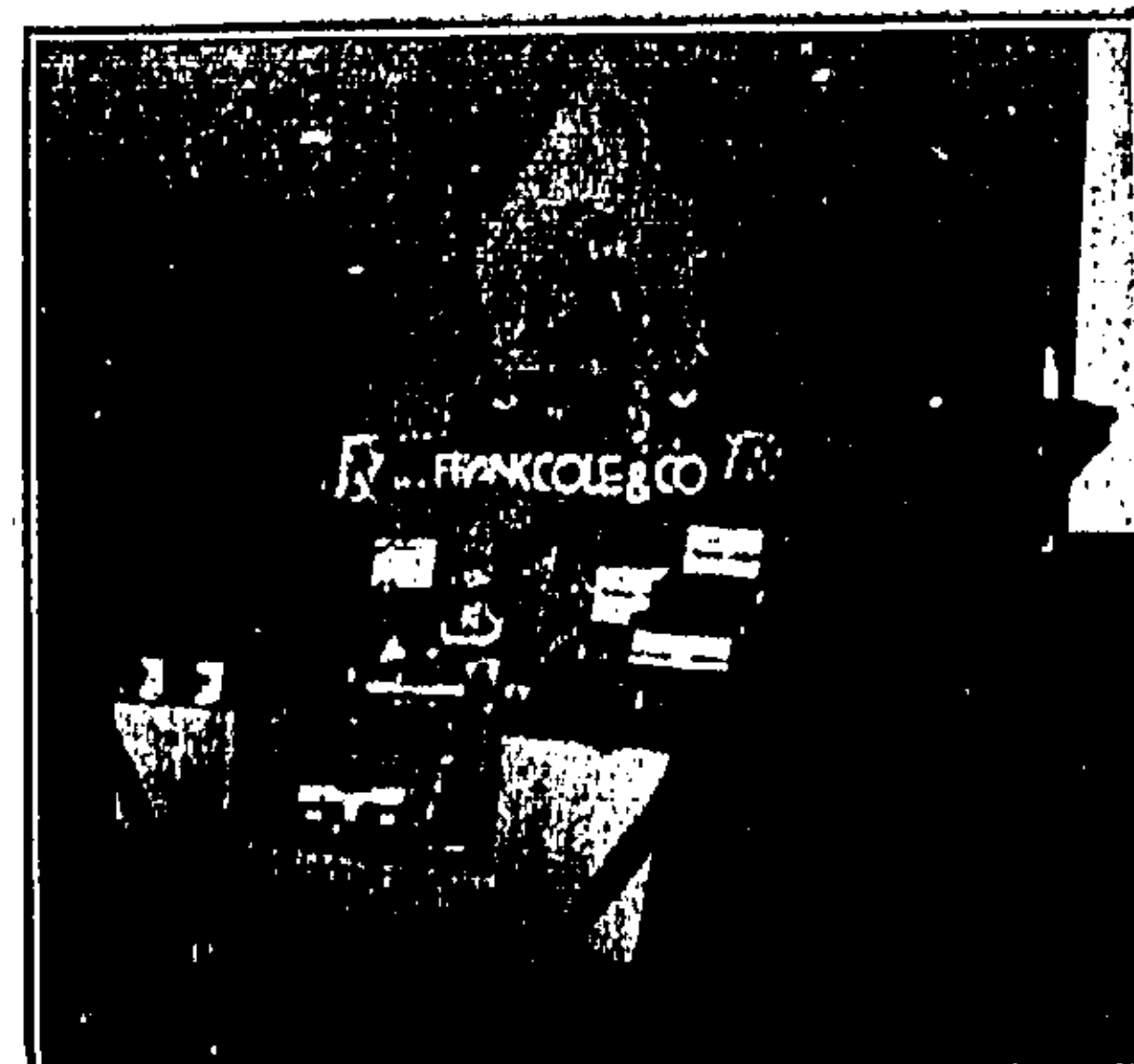
One of the Empire products of which Hong Kongites have most reason to be proud is the locally manufactured Morrison Piano, which has won renown throughout the world, as the product of Messrs. Tsang Fook Piano Company.



The excellent enlargement of H.R.H. the Prince of Wales' photograph in the artistic display of Messrs. Ilford of London, attracted as much attention and called forth as much favourable comment as anything else in the Fair. The film used for the above photo was, of course, Ilford Film.



The rope display of the Hong Kong Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd., in the form of a light house, capped by a glass top in which lights of several colours alternated, with the word "Safety" shining constantly in neonlight, was an indication of the protection afforded to those who go down to the sea in ships.



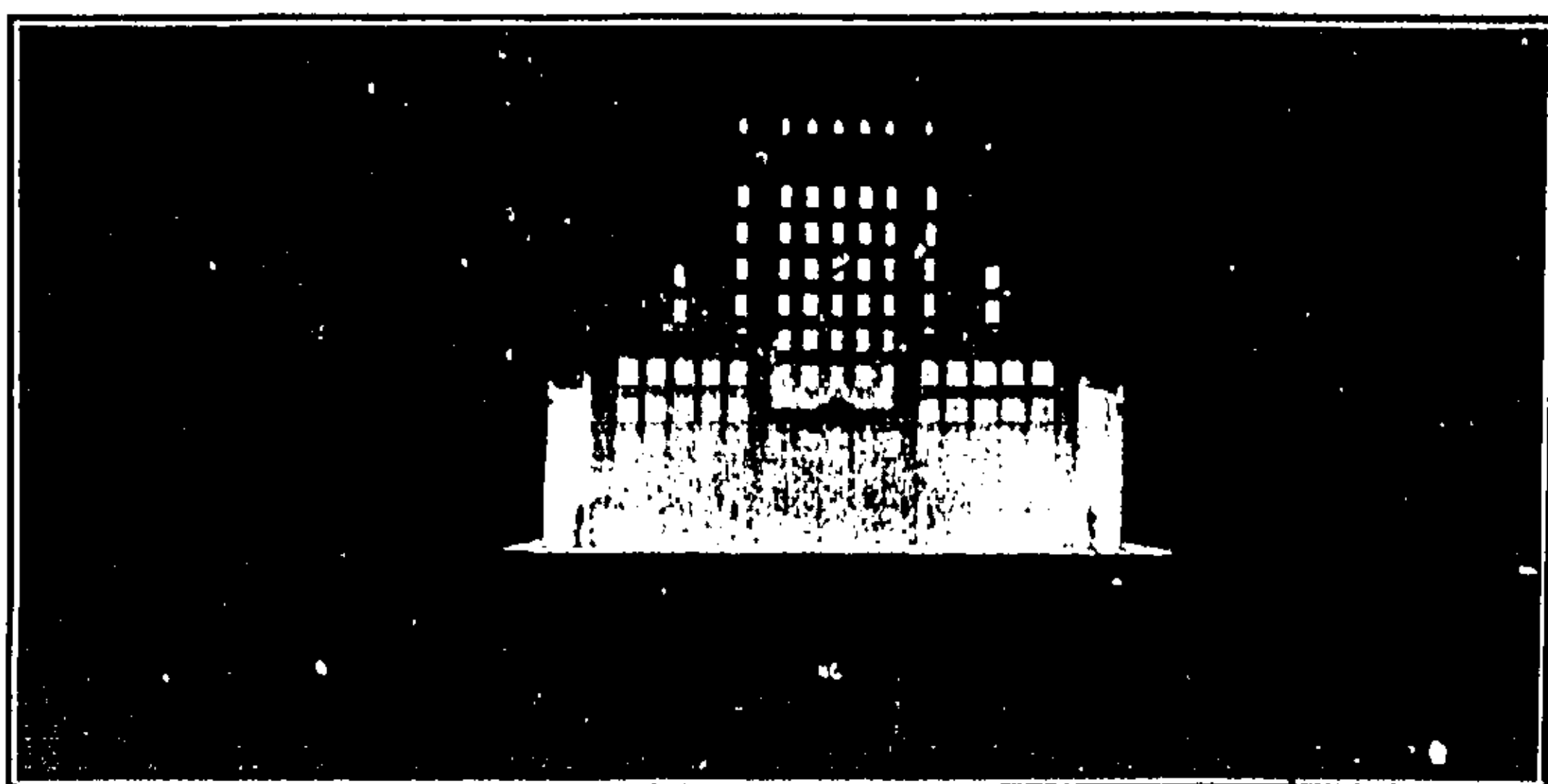
Messrs. Frank Cole & Company had two very attractive displays of Empire products, one of which is visualized by the above picture of canned and bottled goods. The other display was of Superette hosiery in the Canadian section.



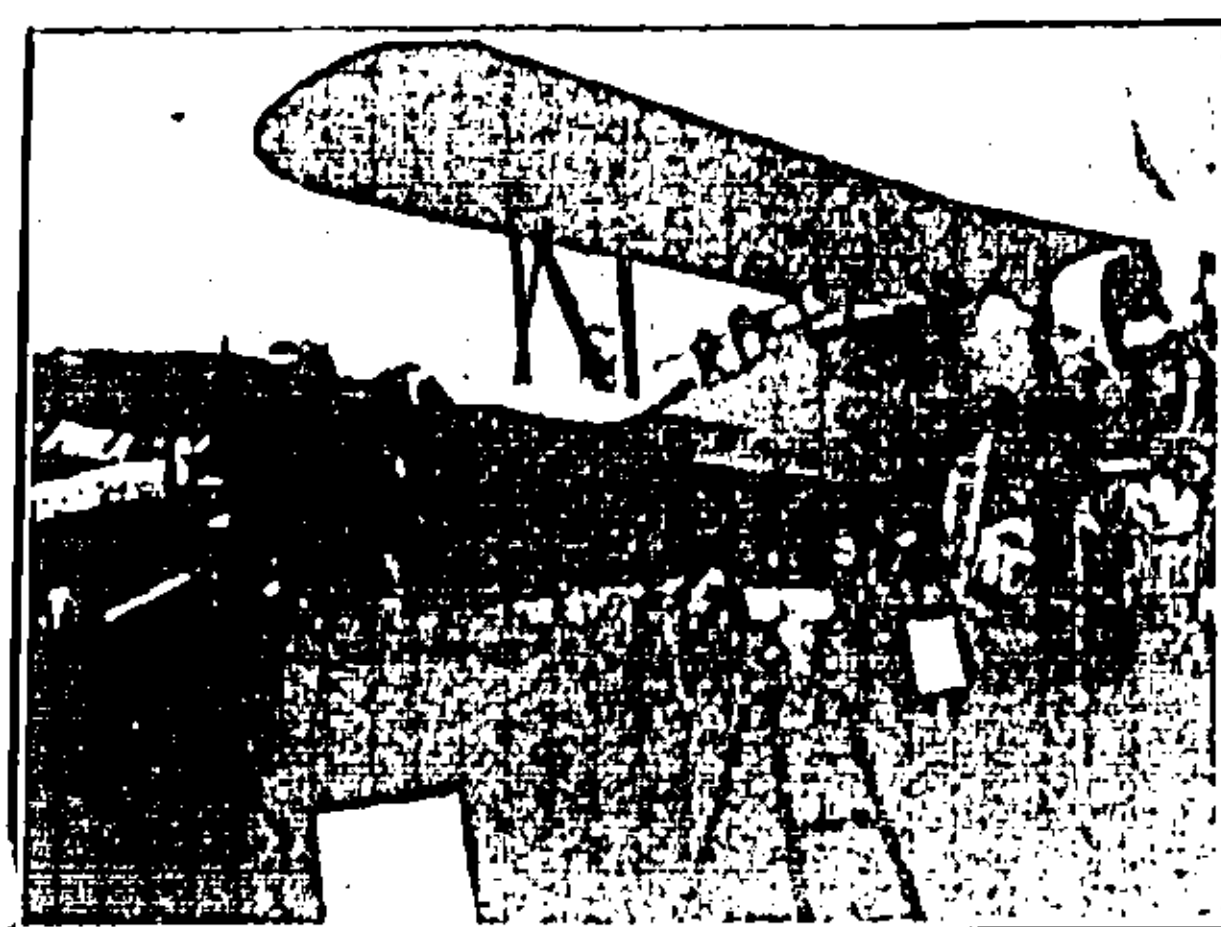
The wonderful variety and excellence of the products from New Zealand displayed on the verandah of the first floor of the Peninsula Hotel was a pleasant surprise to all visitors to the Empire Fair.



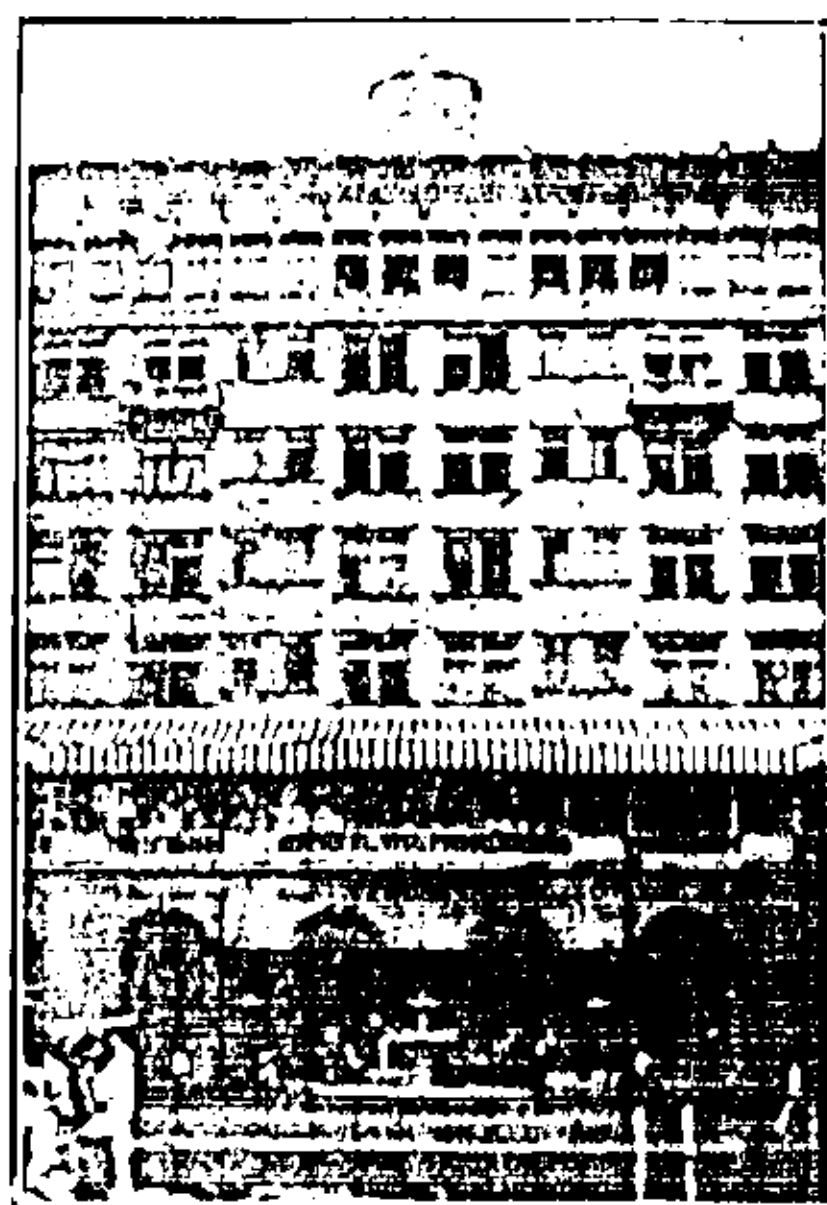
The Austin motor car display by Messrs. Alex. Ross & Co., Ltd., was the centre of attraction to a very large percentage of those who are thinking of purchasing motor cars. From the number of visitors observed daily making serious inquiries and carefully examining the new models on display it may be inferred that probably not a few sales of Austins will result from the Empire Fair this year.



An outstanding feature of the Fair was the illuminated sugar model of the new Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation building. This model over three feet high was executed by Mr. M. R. Boyer, chief of the bakery department of the Peninsula Hotel, and took two weeks to complete.



The aircraft display by the Far East Aviation Co. created particular interest to the large crowds who were permitted a "close-up" of the machines on view.



View of the Peninsula Hotel showing the large crown erected on the roof of the building.

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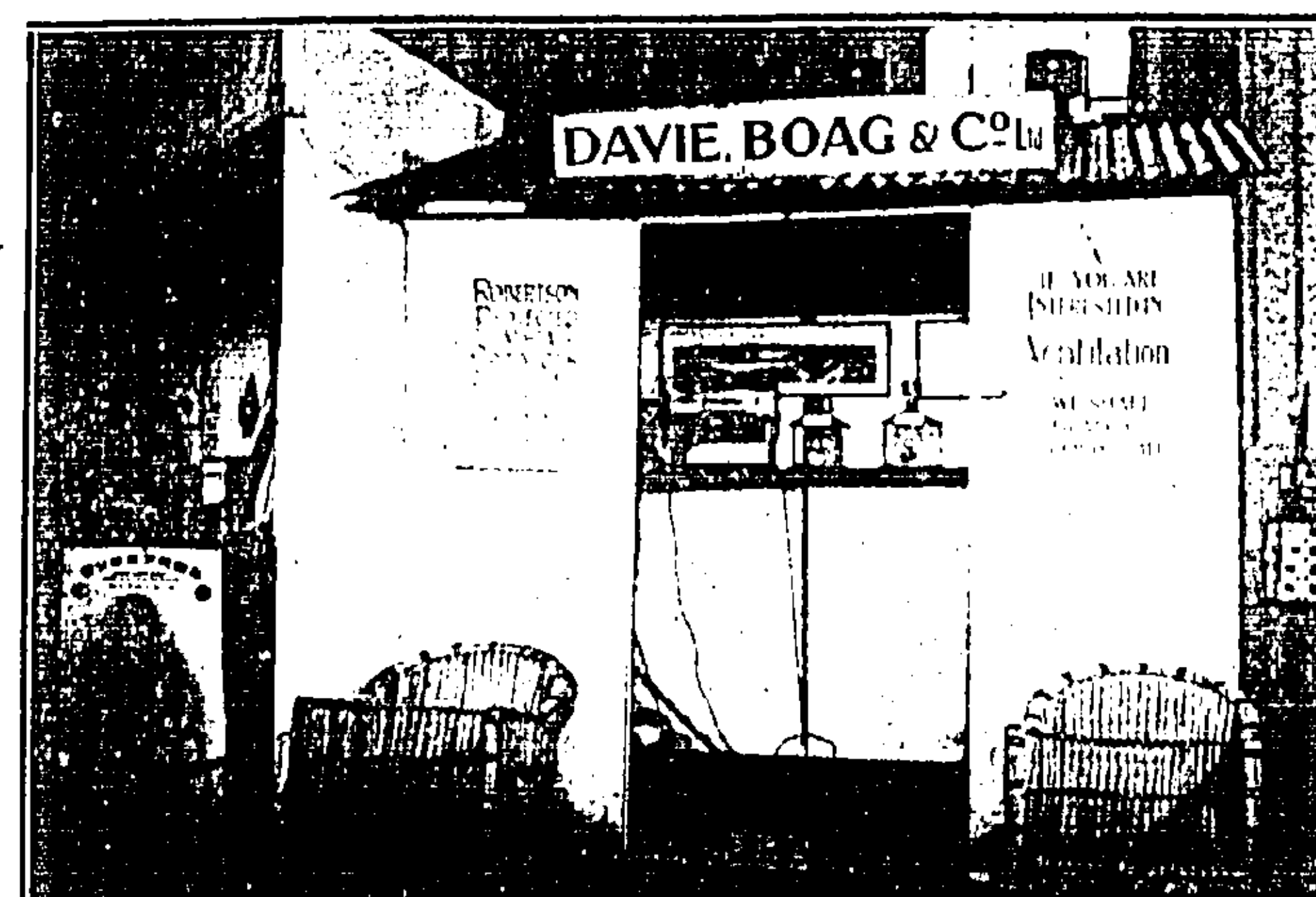
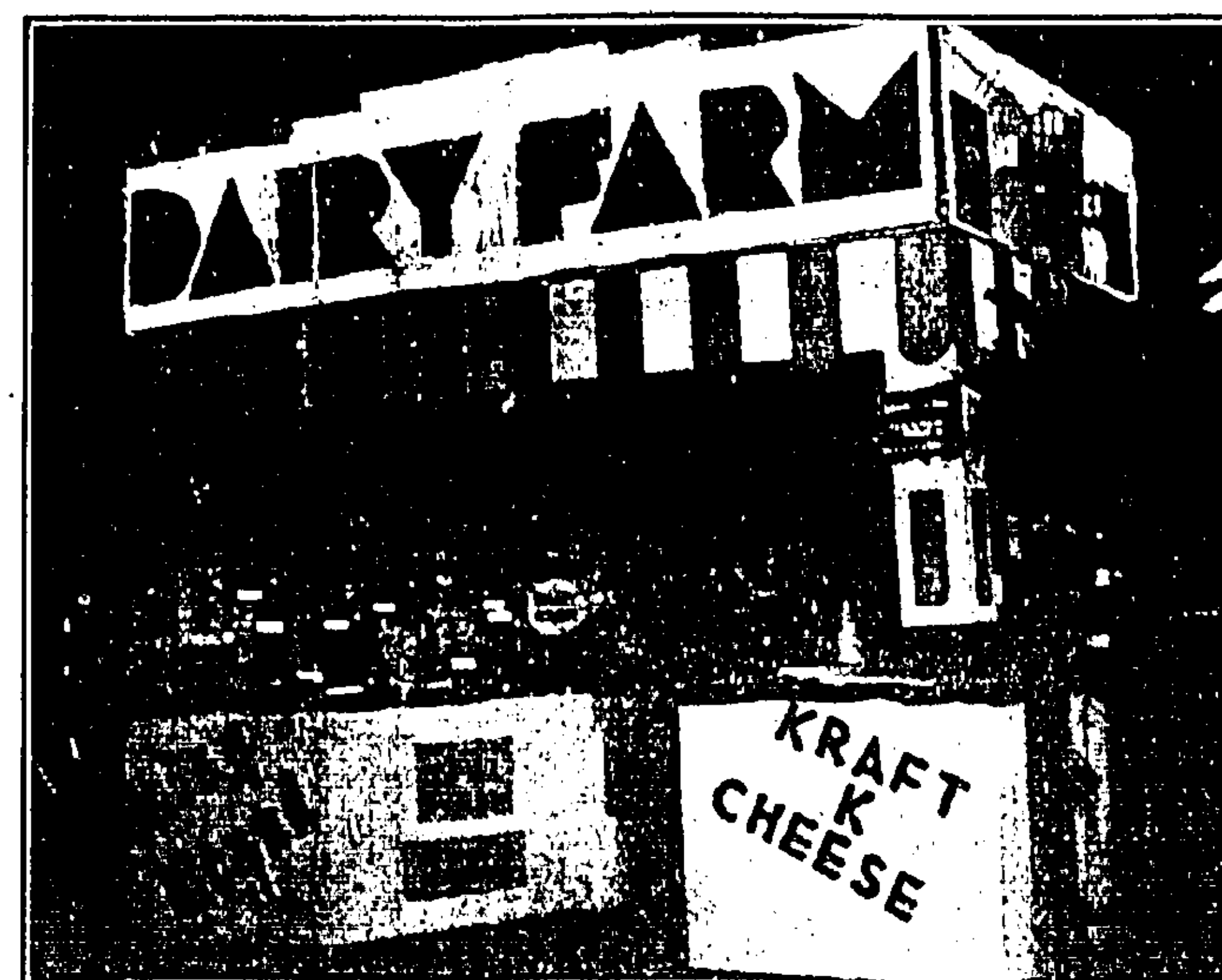
Australian products were well displayed under the careful supervision of Mr. Williamson and the others who took such a keen interest in making a comprehensive and effective display in the many stands on the verandah of the first floor, which was allocated exclusively for the use of Australian and New Zealand exhibitors.



One of the most beautiful and unique display of sports equipment in the Fair was the stand so artistically arranged by Mr. Denis H. Hazell, who is Eastern Director for Messrs. William Sykes, Ltd., and St. Andrew Golf Co., Ltd., also for Tracey & Hempel, and Far Eastern Representative for Brown Bros., Ltd., the manufacturers of the famous British bicycles and motor accessories.



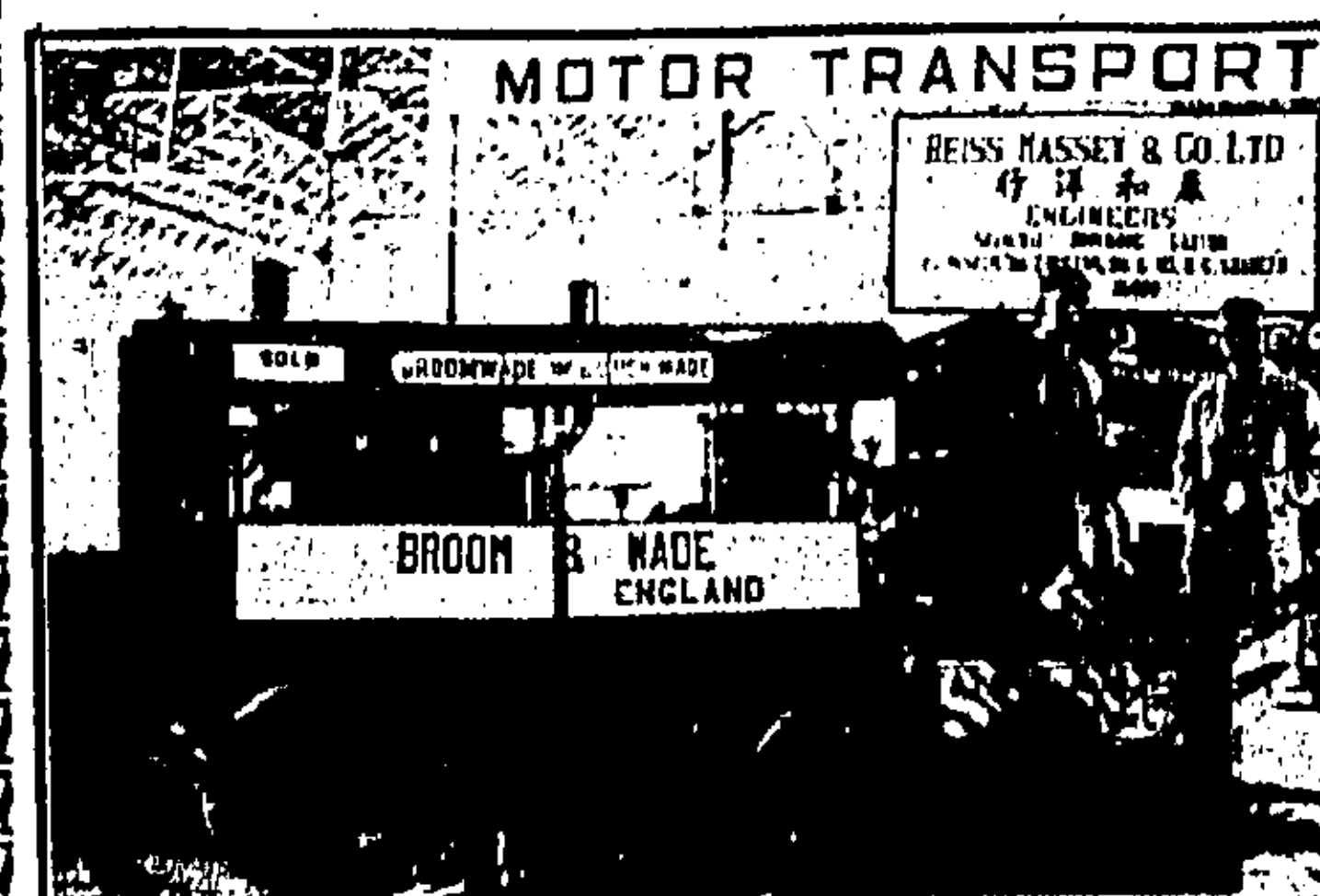
Another local firm which was a pioneer in the distribution of Empire products in the Colony, of which we may justly be proud, is the Dairy Farm, which has been aiding in the preservation of the health of Hong Kong residents by furnishing pure milk and other first class dairy produce for over half a century.



Messrs. Davie Boag & Co., Ltd., agents for the famous British Robertson ventilator as well as for various other British products, including the popular Rickshaw Brand Tea, had two attractive displays, which were centres of interest during the Fair.



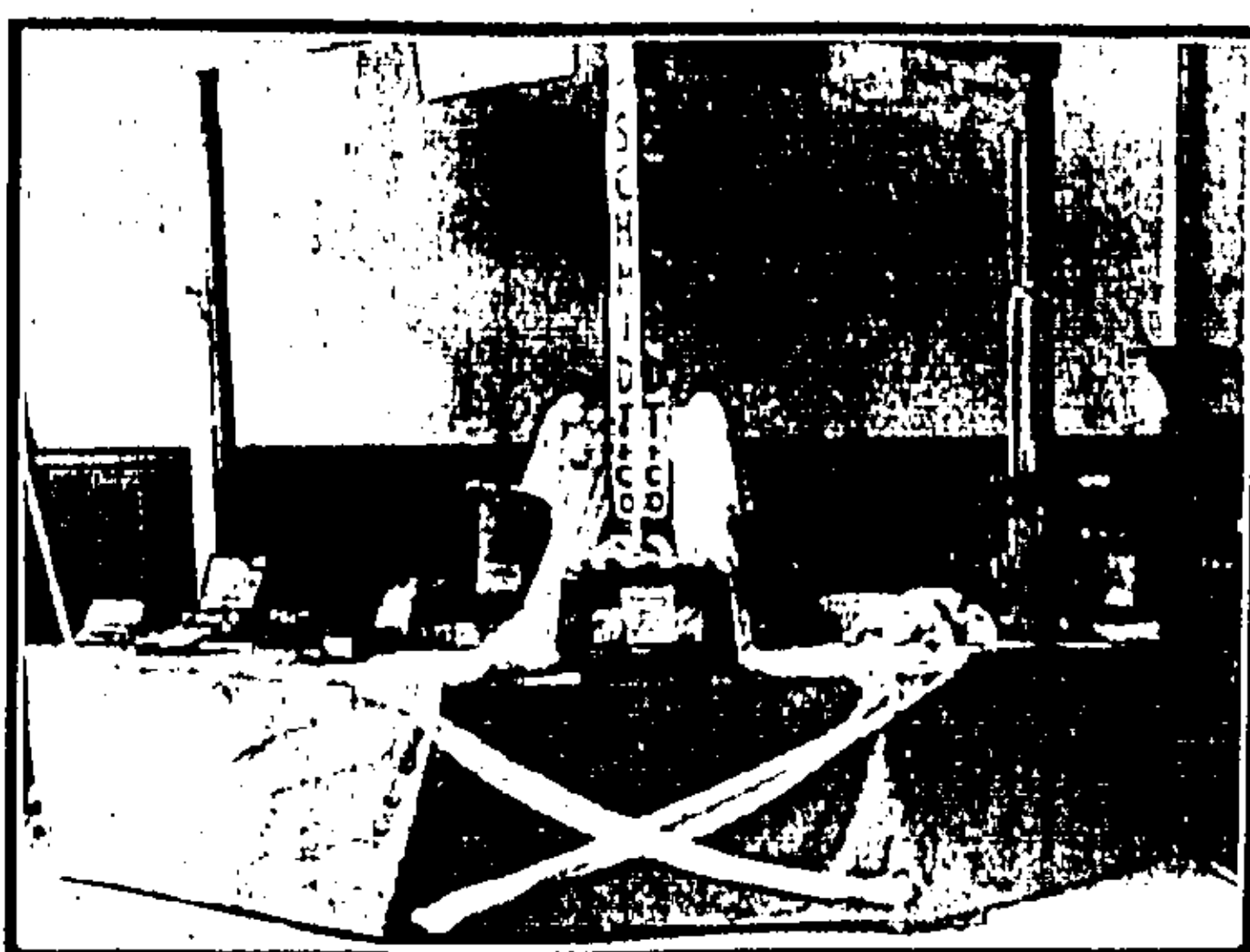
As usual, the B.A.T. "went over the top" with one of the most artistic and attractive displays in the Fair. The two brands of British cigarettes which they displayed were effectively brought to the attention of all visitors.



The famous Ruston 'Lister' products for which Messrs. Reiss Massey & Co., Ltd., are agents in Hong Kong and South China, attracted much attention as they were cleverly demonstrated by the factory representative, Mr. Bergne Cope-land.

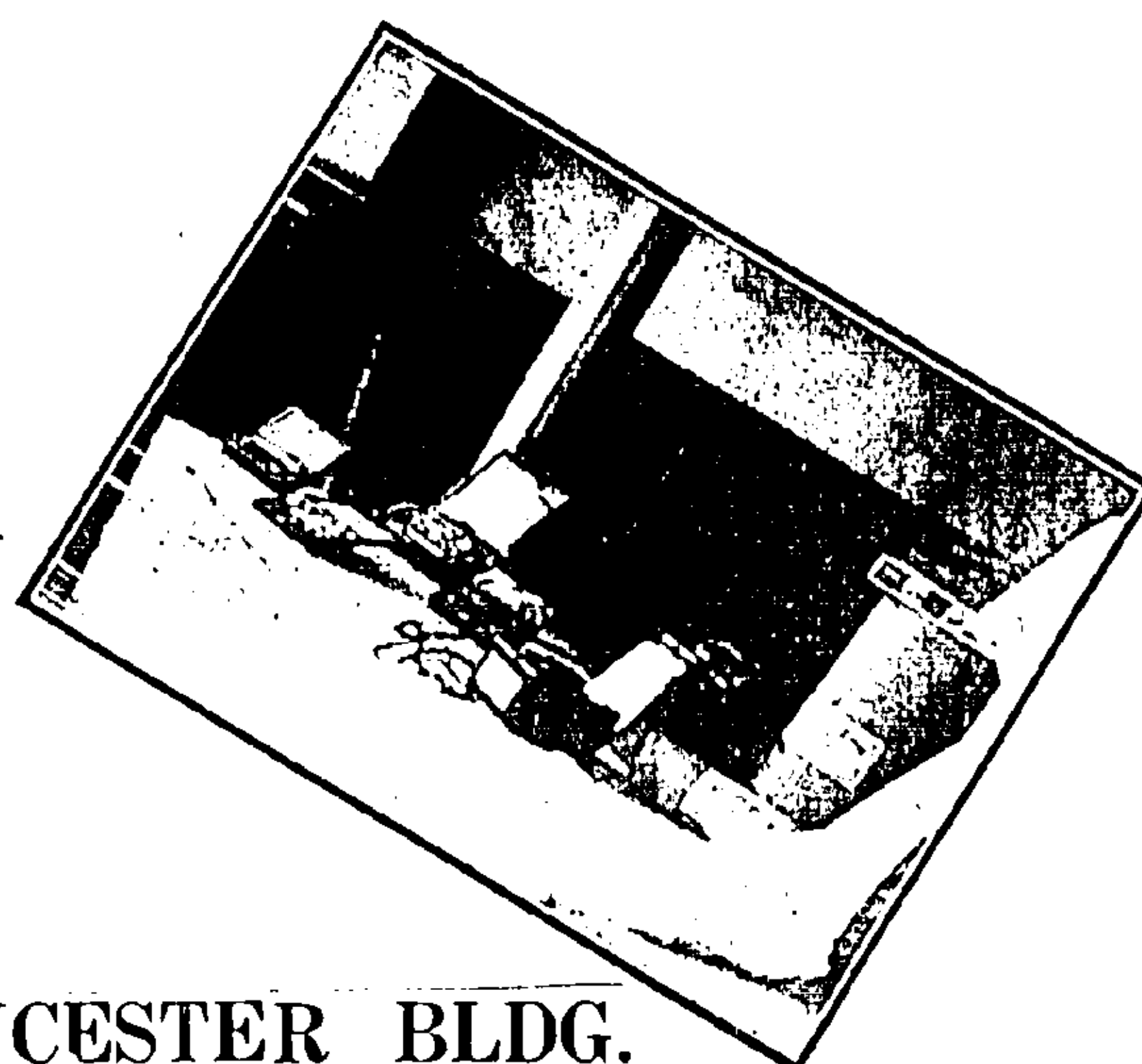


The Leyland motor trucks on display at Messrs. Reiss Massey's stand were a source of great interest to visitors, including many Chinese motor car merchants and engineers, etc.



Messrs. SCHMIDT & CO.'S attractive display of surgical instruments and medical supplies at the British Empire Fair.

SCHMIDT & CO.

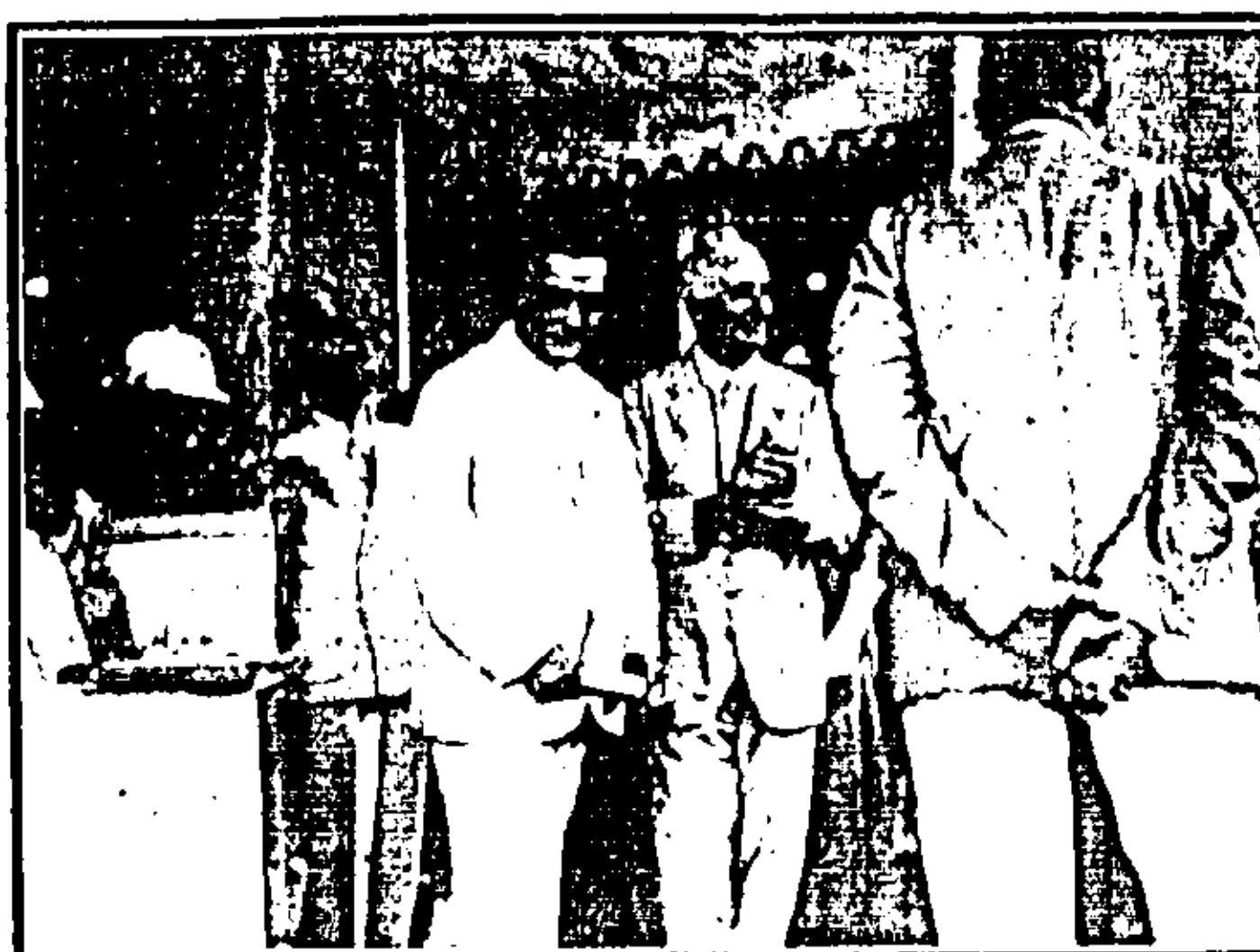


GLOUCESTER BLDG.



*It Saved Him
as a baby—
its the making
of him now*

LACTOGEN
BETTER MILK FOR BABIES



H.E. The Governor, Sir William Peel and The Hon. Mr. J.P. Braga making a tour of the fair after the official opening. The success of the Fair was largely due to the untiring efforts of Mr. J.P. Braga in the organisation of the exhibits.



The Hon. Sir Shouson Chow with others welcoming the Chinese guests from Canton at the Kowloon Railway Station, upon their arrival by special train, last Wednesday morning.



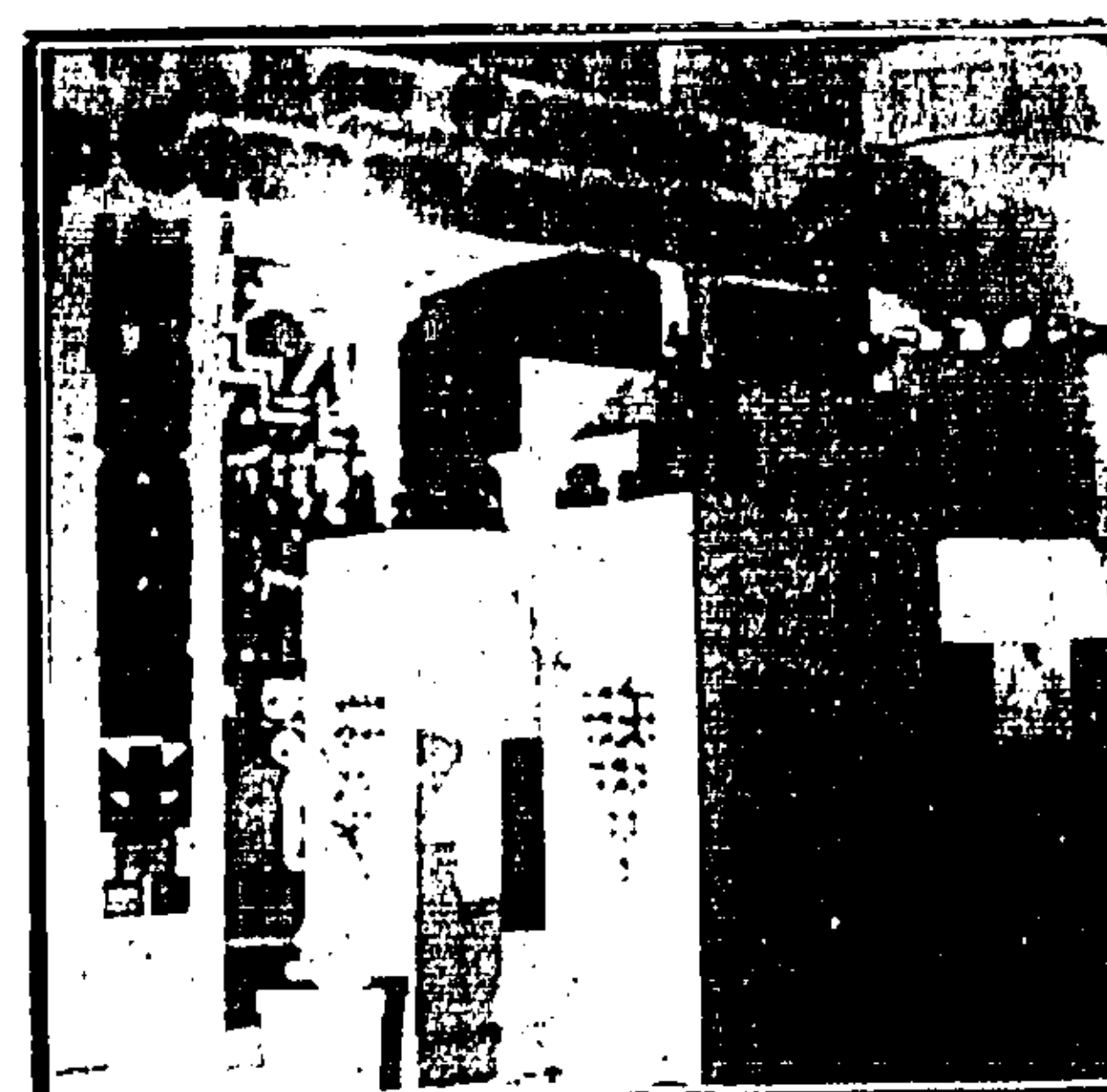
H. B. M. Acting Consul General at Canton, Mr. E. G. Jamieson, and Sir Shouson Chow are her seen among the welcoming party who greeted the honoured Chinese guests from Canton, upon their arrival at the railway station in Kowloon. The Mayor of Canton, Mr. Liu Chi-wen is seen upon Mr. Jamieson's right in this picture.



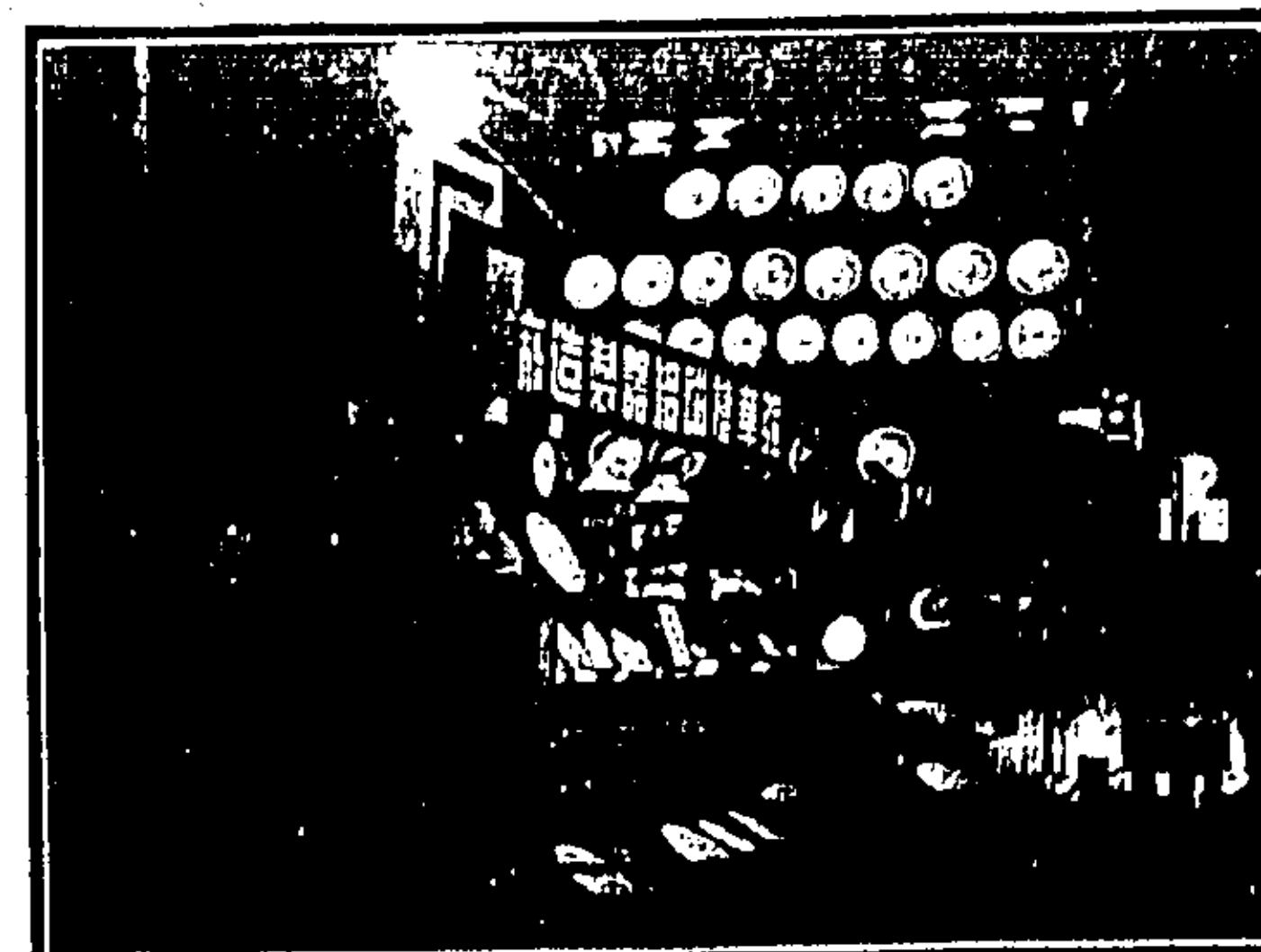
Mrs. Borrett, wife of Major General O. C. Borrett, with the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southorn and the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga, on the tour of inspection, after the official opening of the Empire Fair.



The display of the famous Aslmer canned fruits in the Canadian section in the stand of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. which attracted universal attention.



The Amoy Canning Corporation, Ltd., is one of the Chinese firms incorporated in Hong Kong which has for many years been producing high class canned goods and bottled goods. Their display at the Fair was one of the most artistic and the lighting effects were well arranged.



The enamel ware manufactured in the local factory of the China Kilnwares, Ltd., the Chinese Company established recently in Kowloon, is an Empire Product which is rapidly becoming famous not only in Hong Kong and South China, but is being exported to many places. This enamel ware is equal in quality to that produced by Europe and America, the latest methods of production being employed.



The famous "Singer" and "Rover" Motor Cars are British products for which the National Motor Car Company are the agents in Hong Kong and South China. Their well arranged display attracted the attention of all visitors to the Fair and was much admired.

Vital Importance Of Character

Appearances May Belie True Nature

"LOOK NOT ON OUTWARD THINGS"

(By A Local Padre.)

(This is another of the series of articles written exclusively for the "Sunday Herald" by a local Army chaplain.)

THERE was very definitely a touch of pathos about the case of that man, who the other day in a London Police Court, complained very bitterly, that people always look him to be old, because he had bald head for it is rather hard on men as well as women (who incidentally seem to feel it more) to be mistaken persistently as being older than they really are.

But that is the way of the world. Baldness and grey hairs are the universal signs of advancing age, and we read them as such, seldom pausing to remember that we may be bald and grey, while in the vigour of our youth. That is one of the great troubles in life, we are so prone to judge our fellow men by their exterior signs, by their looks as it were. As a man appears at first sight, or to our undiscerning eye, so we judge him.

If we see a man whom we know, attending Church twice every Sunday, we label him as a conscientious, religious man—or rather by his consistent Church-going, he has so labelled himself.

And in most cases we are not very far wrong in reading the character of that man from his label.

If we see another man, say at home in England, popping very frequently into the Dog and Raspberry, or other local hostelry, or out here, persistently propping up the bar, he can hardly complain if we take it for a sign that he is somewhat overpartial to alcoholic stimulation.

Nevertheless, there is a slight chance that we may be wrong in both cases. Men have been known to go to Church from other motives than intense religious devotion. Not many years ago, unless a man was seen in his pew, attired in his best black suit, and accompanied by his wife and children, his work or business would suffer considerably. Ladies used to be accused of going to Church in order to show off their new hats, (which of course is unbelievable).

The man who is a frequent visitor to the Public House, Speakeasy or Bar may only be drinking Ginger Wine or Sarsaparilla, or he may be courting the beautiful peroxide damsel, who with fiery badinage, dispenses the mixture improbable, but not impossible.

Judged by Label.

As a matter of fact, usually the label by which we judge a man is a pretty accurate description of the real goods, and when we are led astray in our judgement from the things a man does or says, or by the company he keeps, it is usually more his fault than ours. He may be as honest as the day, but if he continually consorts with thieves and crooks, it is not our fault if we class him in the same category. If a man's sole contribution to the general conversation is a series of extremely questionable stories, we can't be blamed if we draw certain pretty definite conclusions.

None of us by taking thought, can rid ourselves of some unenviable physical label which may have been born with us, or tied around our necks in the after years by accident or misfortune, but the label by which men read character is usually of our own manufacture and fixing.

That is one side of it—man's side. Man always looks on the outward things, and leaves it at that.

When Samuel was told to visit the house of Jesse, in order to find a successor to Saul, on the throne of Israel, he asked to see his sons. When the eldest was produced, he thought there was no need to look any further. Ellab seemed to fit the part. He was fine and understanding, sound in mind and limb, but Samuel was at once corrected. There are other qualities than these to be considered when picking out a man for some important job. He was told, "Look not on the height of his stature, nor on the height of his stature, for the Lord seeth not as man seeth; for man looketh on the

outward things, but the Lord looketh on the heart."

The Real Label.

We are far too much inclined to forget that there is someone else, with Whom we have to do in life, and that is God, and from Him no secrets are hid. Whatever labels we may wear outwardly, He alone knows what our real character is, and after all that is all that really counts in life CHARACTER.—It is the one thing that is going to live us, when we leave behind everything else we have made and acquired, wealth, position, titles and all the rest of it. The man with a shoddy character will have a shoddy soul.

It does not matter in the sight of God, what we look like. A man may have a face that would stop a tram, and yet be one of the finest and best. He may have a sick, ailing body, and yet be a hero in the hour of need. There are men walking about, dressed like tailors' dummies, who have minds and lives like a bird's nest. There are men posing as philanthropists whose money has been earned by the blood of sweated labour. There are others who endow Churches and hospitals who own slum property, unfit for animals to live in and make no effort to improve them. Some of the biggest scoundrels in the annals of crime have not been of the Bill Sykes type, but pleasant and gentlemanly men of culture.

It is the inner life that we are living that matters. That personal, utterly private life that no one else knows of save ourselves and God. The thoughts of our hearts, the pictures we paint on the canvas of our imaginations, these are the things that go to form our characters, the only labels that matter. We know what they are, whether we are striving to make them splendid and grand, something of which we can be proud, or something of which, in our innermost hearts we are a little ashamed.

They may bear the initial imprint of heredity and environment, but these things can, and have been overcome. Sterling character is not the prerogative of wealth and position. The men who have done left their marks upon the world's life have many of them been of humble station.

Anyhow our job is not to fix labels on other people, but to make sure that the one we are wearing ourselves is one that will bear the scrutiny of One Whose judgement is utterly unbiased.

Personal Pars.

The name of Mr. Leon Williamson Amps, O.B.E., has been added to the List of Authorised Architects, published in Government Notification No. 754, of November 25, 1932.

Mr. Francisco Sevilla, Governor of Rizal Province, in the Philippine Islands, accompanied by his wife and family, arrived here, yesterday by the s.s. President Jefferson, on his way home to the Philippines, after a pleasure tour of Japan.

Mr. Delbert Goodman, Oriental representative of the Fox Film Co., accompanied by Mrs. Delbert Goodman, arrived in Hong Kong by the s.s. President Jefferson, yesterday, on their way to Manila.

Mr. John F. Rhame, of the China Electric Co., arrived in the Colony by the s.s. President Jefferson, yesterday.

CAT MAKES CRONY OF RAT

Now Castle, Pennsylvania.

If the Pied Piper ever gets to New Castle and goes to work he probably will find a cat among his followers.

The cat lives in a food store. An employee who threw her a piece of bread was started to see her share with a rat. But it didn't surprise the caretaker at the city tool house next door.

"They play together," he said.

INFORMAL PARTY AT PALACE.

King And Queen Give Tea Party.

London.

The King and Queen have recently given another of their afternoon parties at Buckingham Palace.

These are the most informal of all royal functions. You get your own tea from a series of long buffets, the King and Queen move freely among the guests and a string orchestra plays in the distance.

About 200 people are invited to these afternoon parties. Daughters are not usually included in the invitations, but the wives of the men guests are asked to accompany their husbands. As each guest arrives, he is met by the Lord Chamberlain who enquires his name and calls it out to their Majesties as at Court—rather like an ordinary butler does at a private house. This week, however, when the Lord Chamberlain was out of town, his duty was performed by the Lord Steward, the Earl of Shaftesbury.—Reuter.

LEGAL BEER MAY RUIN GANGSTERS.

Chicago's Protection For New Trade.

Chicago.

The law's new weapon, licensing power over a legalised beer business, will be used in an effort to complete the ruin of the organised lawlessness which derived wealth and power from the illicit brew trade here.

With the legalisation of beer, Federal and State authorities in Metropolitan Chicago, once a centre of the illegal beer "racket" are concentrating to keep the new traffic from the underworld's grasp.

A warning that no gang interference will be tolerated has been issued by the Federal Supervisor of Permits, who has authority to allow or forbid manufacture of beer in three States that touch the environs of Chicago.

"The beer business must be legal from the beginning," he declared. "We will permit no gangsters to manufacture brew. We will scrutinize the controlling officials and stockholders of every brewery we allow to operate."—Reuter.

POISONING TRAGEDY IN EGYPT.

Five Deaths Follow Chemist's Blunder

Cairo.

Four people have died owing to a tragic mistake on the part of a village chemist in the province of Menoufia.

The medical officer attending the isolation hospital of El Hissia sent an order for some medicine to the local stores. By mistake, a virulent poison was delivered.

Four of the patients drank some of it and all died immediately. Orders were issued for the arrest of the store-keeper. But, on hearing of the tragedy, he committed suicide.—Reuter.

News In Brief.

Tenders are invited by the Hong Kong Government, for the privilege of maintaining an advertisement hoarding adjoining the Kowloon Railway Station.

Wong Yat, a fisherman of Lam-ta Island, in Salween Bay, was yesterday morning fined \$50 or in default six weeks, for unlawful possession of a revolver and five rounds of ammunition.

Mr. P. R. M. Wallis, Manager, Confederation Life Association, for China and Hong Kong, accompanied by Mrs. Wallis, is registered at the Peninsula Hotel, and will be returning to Shanghai next week.

The operation of the provisional Commercial Agreement between His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Egyptian Government, instituting most-favoured-nation treatment reciprocally between Egypt and Hong Kong, has by a further exchange of Notes been prolonged until February 18, 1934.

PACIFIST DISTURBANCE IN COMMONS

Two Women And Man Cause Sensation.

NAVY DEBATE INTERRUPTED

London.

Misguided persons, and particularly those with grievances, imaginary and otherwise, from time to time abuse their privilege of listening to the debates in the Strangers Gallery by making a demonstration of one kind or another, and richly earn their reward of being unceremoniously bundled out by the attendants.

Not for many years, however, has there been a disturbance from the public gallery more skillfully organized and carried out than that for which two women and a man were responsible during the debate on the Navy estimates, and which resulted in the Chamber being thickly strewn with green leaflets, as though a green snow-shower had fallen.

The "heroine" of the piece, if one can so call her, was a young woman, hatless and athletic, who rising from her front seat in the gallery, vaulted lightly over a couple front seat in the gallery, vaulted lightly over a couple of barriers into the Member's Gallery which extends along each side of the House. As she ran she showered her leaflets down on to the floor of the House in such quantities that they fluttered over the greater part of the Chamber, the front Ministerial benches, the table on which the Mace rests and even the foot of the Speaker's Chair all receiving their quota.

Her male companion threw more leaflets from the other side of the chamber whilst the second woman co-operated by shouting pacifist propaganda before all three were unceremoniously ejected.

The traditional punishment for such disturbers of the Parliamentary peace is that they shall be locked up in the Clock Tower of Big Ben fame until the rising of the House, usually between 11 p.m. and midnight. In practice they are usually detained in the police office at Westminster.—Reuter.

THIS WORLD OF OURS.

ODD FACTS OF SCIENCE IN EVERYDAY LIFE.

A folding metal rack has been invented for burning magazines in fireplaces.

Direct radio communication has been established between Shanghai and Moscow.

More men and boys between the ages of five and 45 are killed by accidents than disease.

The United States supplies more than 90 per cent. of the leather imported by Venezuela.

An inventor has combined nail sets for large and small nails at right angles in a new tool.

Brazil consumes approximately \$50,000,000 worth of chemicals and allied products annually.

Stainless steel can be soldered and the joints given additional strength with the use of a new flux.

India is to have a lighthouse 75 miles south of Bombay with a 65,000 candlepower light visible 28 miles.

Collapsible tubes of tooth paste and shaving cream are held upright in a new V-shaped tray for bath rooms.

Virtually every kind of paper wall covering known in the world's markets is produced in the United Kingdom.

WEATHER FORECAST

Moderate South winds and fair weather generally was forecasted in the weather report issued from the Royal Observatory yesterday evening.

300 MILE DESERT TREK ON FOOT.

Stern Chase Revealed In Court.

Luderitz.

A farmer's journey on foot over 300 miles of desert and a police constable's pertinacious chase over 240 miles of waterless and uninhabited country, were casually mentioned in the police court here when Pierre Leriche, aged 35, a farmer of Warmbad was charged with trespassing in the diamond area and sentenced to pay a fine of £50 or serve a term of six months imprisonment.

Constable J. van Zyl described a patrol he made. He picked up a "veldechoen" (sandal shoe) and followed it over the sand dunes from the Fish River to the coast, a distance of over 120 miles. At the coast he found a place where diamond prospecting had recently taken place. He traced the spoor back again to the Fish River.

A native herd boy told the Court that he met the prisoner at the Fish River.

According to a sketch plan produced by the police Leriche must have travelled over 300 miles on foot, over half of which distance no water was obtainable.—Reuter.

CHEAP CHAMPAGNE FOR BRITAIN.

French Expert's Process For Home Maturing.

London.

Lovers of good wines have had one news item to cheer them recently. It is that a French expert has devised a process which produces a wine with all the authentic properties of champagne, but which can be fermented and matured in England at a very much lower cost.

It is called "Mousse" and its preparation is now being carried out in a big cool building in Hertfordshire. The grape juice is brought from France, and it is declared that, thanks to a special process, the juice is not adversely affected by change of climate and temperature, by transit or storage.

One wine steward assured me that even experts find it impossible to tell the difference between real champagne and its new British "cousin".—Reuter.

LAND OF WHITE PYGMIES.

French Explorers' Find.

Paris.

A race of White Pygmies are described by three Frenchmen who have landed at Marseilles after an expedition into the heart of Africa. These three explorers, MM. Martineau, Lesourd and Zaidler, were sent by a Paris newspaper to investigate the lives of these strange people.

They landed at Dakar (Senegal), travelled inland via Bamako and Gao to the Soudan region, and finally reached the almost unknown tract of country where the White Pygmies live.

The White Pygmies are a very primitive race, about three feet high, with enormous heads. Their skin is light in colour, and they keep themselves strictly apart from other tribes and live by hunting elephants and antelopes.—Reuter.

DEPRESSION HITS HEAD-HUNTERS.

Overstocked Markets At Guayaquil.

New York.

Apparently the depression has caused a slump in the head-hunting business in Ecuador says the New York Times. Recent arrivals from Guayaquil report that the market there is overstocked with human heads, slunk to the price of an orange by the once secret process of the Jivaro Indians. Formerly they sold for as much as \$250 to tourists.

It is reported that almost every hawk has a "head" or two for sale at bargain prices. Many of them are fakes. Medical students are said to have learned the process and have provided competition for the head-hunting Indians. The quantity of genuine Jivaro heads indicates that perhaps the Indians are becoming more civilised.—Reuter.

Many Sales Made At The Fair

Exhibitors Satisfied With Results

ENQUIRIES EXPECTED TO LEAD TO INCREASED BUSINESS

The British Empire Fair is an unqualified success according to all exhibitors questioned by a representative of the "Sunday Herald." All agree that the Fair has tended to increase their sales, directly or indirectly.

Thousands of people have thronged the Fair day after day, and though many of these have been intent more on sightseeing and the collection of samples than actual buying, yet many genuine buyers have approached stand-holders.

All exhibitors questioned stated that it would have been of great benefit if an admission fee had been charged, for this would have tended to keep out mere loiterers, and given bona fide buyers more opportunity of viewing the exhibits.

Stand-holders state that they have had more genuine enquiries during Friday than at any other period of the Fair. The mere sightseer had then had his fill, and people really intending to buy were more in evidence.

It is stated that the best period from the business point of view is in the evening, from about 6 to 8 o'clock, when the business man who has been at the office all day has leisure to look about him.

Australian Exhibits.

Mr. J. A. Tonkin, representing the Department of Commerce of the Australian Commonwealth Government, expressed himself as being very satisfied with the results of the Fair to a representative of the "Sunday Herald." He said that he had opened two stalls on behalf of the Commonwealth Government, and many private exhibitors of Australian goods had occupied stalls beside his.

The Government stalls had been interested more in displaying samples of goods than in actual sales at the Fair. He said that he had received numerous enquiries regarding all types of Australian products, notably canned fruits and hams, etc.

Private stand-holders in the Australian section stated that they were doing a roaring trade. They had encountered a great demand for fresh and canned fruits and other types of bottled and canned goods.

Mr. Tonkin stated that Australia had for some time done a great deal of business with Hong Kong, China and Japan. About half her wheat found a market in China and Japan, while her wool was exported in great quantities to the Far East. On his return to Australia, he stated that he would make a report to the Commonwealth Government in which he would draw attention to the great market for Australian goods that existed in Hong Kong and South China.

New Zealand Sales.

Mr. S. T. Williamson, Hon. Agent for the Dominion of New Zealand also expressed himself as being satisfied with the result of the Fair as regards New Zealand products.

The chief articles in demand are dairy produce and fruit of all kinds. A large number of sales were taking place at the Fair and many more were expected from enquiries made by tentative buyers.

It is expected that as a result of the Fair, many agents for both Australian and New Zealand goods would be appointed. Both the Commonwealth and the Dominion realised that South China was a great potential buyer of all types of produce.

Canadian Exhibits.

The Canadian Trade Commissioner, Major B. E. Duclos, when interviewed, said that the Canadian exhibits were rather out of the way, being situated in the Moorish Bar. Nevertheless many people had visited that section of the Fair. So many people had made enquiries that it was difficult to know who were bona fide buyers and who were not.

Major Duclos stated that certain enquiries had been received regarding the sale of between 60,000 and 100,000 railway sleepers to Canton, and it was expected that this deal would be closed shortly.

A Curtiss Reid aeroplane, manufactured in Canada, was on display before the Hotel, and Major Duclos said that it was his intention to ask Major Doolittle, the American air ace, to demonstrate the machine on his return to the Colony. This machine is similar to the Curtiss Wright machine which the famous airman flew in Canton on his recent trip.

Major Duclos stated that much interest had been shown in Canadian Seed potatoes, which had been successfully grown in the Botanical Gardens, Hong Kong. Lady Peel, among others, had made enquiries regarding them.

In the motor section of the Fair business was satisfactory to the various exhibitors.

Motor Car Sales.

The Hong Kong Hotel Garage had just completed the sale of a Bedford truck to the Canton Government, and a Vauxhall Cadet Saloon to Tai Tung, Esq., of Canton, when interviewed by the "Sunday Herald." This firm reported that good business was being done.

Messrs. Alex Ross & Co., reported that the sale of about one dozen cars had resulted either directly or indirectly from the exhibit at the Fair.

About four Canadian built Ford cars had been sold at the Fair, and other sales were in progress.

Messrs. Dodwells reported that a certain number of sales had taken place among their cars, though they, in common with other exhibitors, stated that it was difficult to claim sales as a direct result of the Fair as motor cars were not sold on a stand.

Machinery Section.

In the machinery section buying appeared to be steady. Messrs. Relas Massey & Co., had sold a diesel motor a few minutes before being interviewed by the "Sunday Herald." Their display of Diesel engines attracted a great deal of attention as they used their own motors to light the stand.

The same firm had on display sundry piece goods and other types of exhibits, occupying in all three stands inside and outside the Hotel.

Messrs. Dodwells stated that they had had many enquiries regarding office equipment. Their steel cupboards had attracted much attention.

Crowds Around Stands.

Inside the Hotel a constant crowd surged around the various stands. The Telephone Co., exhibits attracted a great deal of attention. Their automatic switch gear was the centre of an interesting throng.

The Neonlite Sign display showed up well in the lounge and it was stated that a certain amount of business had been done by this firm.

All classes of exhibitors stated that the Fair had done a great deal to advertise their goods and they expected an increase of business as a result.

Read "The China Mail"

The Oldest and Best Evening Newspaper in the Far East

KING'S THEATRE

SHOWING TO-DAY
DAILY AT 2.30, 5.10, 7.15 & 9.30 P.M.

State Fair is Like Life...

Begins lustily...offers everything...
whether you go for sheep and blue
ribbons...or shape and blue eyes.
And, too soon,
it's over!



Season's
Greatest Cast
Ianet GAYNOR · Will ROGERS
Lew AYRES · Sally EILERS
Norman Foster · Louise Dresser
Frank Craven · Victor Jory

STATE FAIR



SPECIAL PERFORMANCE
AT 11.30 A.M. TO-DAY
A CHINESE PICTURE WITH MUSICAL
ACCOMPANIMENT.
"CITY MORNINGS"
WITH
KAO CHIEN FEI, JUANITA WANG.
Produced By The United Photoplay Service, Ltd.

MAJESTIC

TO-DAY TO TUESDAY AT 2.30, 5.20, 7.20 & 9.20 P.M.

Farewell to all that!...
The thunder, the dust,
the heat... Farewell to
revelry, wine and pas-
sion... To peace... white
arms and love!

HELEN HAYES
GARY COOPER
IN
A FAREWELL TO ARMS
WITH
ADOLPHE MENJOU
From the novel by
ERNEST HEMINGWAY
A Paramount Picture
Produced by Frank Borzage



RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

10-11 a.m.—A relay of the Ser-
vice from St. Joseph's Church.

1. Holy Mass.
Music from Garofalo's Mass
in D.

Sermon—"The First Command-
ment" preached by The
Rev. Father MacDonald, S.J.

11. Benediction of the Blessed
Sacrament.

11-12.15 p.m.—A relay of the Ser-
vice from St. Paul's Church.

12.15 p.m.—European recorded
programme.

1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather
Report.

2.30 p.m.—Close Down.

Melodian's Trio From The
Studio.

4.30-7 p.m.—Chinese recorded
programme.

7-10 p.m.—European programme.

7-8.45 p.m.—(Local Time &
Weather Report).

8 p.m.—
Band—

Peer Gynt Suite (Grieg)
Reg. Band of H.M. Grenadier
Guards 9384-5.

Song—
Joy Cometh in the Morning
(arr. Lorenz)

God Will Take Care of You
(Martin)

Lucy M. Van de Mark (Soprano)
9236.

Octet—
Largo in G (Handel, arr. Sear)

Rondo Capriccioso
(Mendelssohn, arr. Mulder)

J. H. Squire Celeste Octet 9179.

Orchestra—
Till's Merry Pranks
(R. Strauss)

Orchestra of the Brussels Royal
Conservatoire 9375-6.

Organ Solo—
At the Temple Gates (Sellars)
Gatty Sellars DB392.

Song—
Rigoletto—Parl Siam (Verdi)

Rigoletto—Cortisiani

Vil Razza Dannata (Verdi)

Riccardo (Stracciari (Baritone)
L2130.

Violin Solo—
Gavotte, from Partita in E
Major (Bach-Kreisler)

Nocturne in E Flat
(Chopin, arr. Sarasate)

William Primrose 9258.

Orchestra—
Three Fanciful Etchings
(Kettelbey)

Albert W. Kettelbey's Concert
Orchestra conducted by the
Composer 9406-7.

Violin Solo—
Legende (Wienlawski)
Arthur Catterall 9359.

Chorus—
Platoff's Song (Old Cossack
Song)

We Praise Thee, O Lord
(Tschalkowsky)

The Don Cossack Choir 9183.

8.45-9.30 p.m.—From the Studio.
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Trio—P. R. Antonio (Violinist),
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Aristorenas (Cellist) and M. O.
Carlsen (Pianist).

9.30-10 p.m.—Dance Tunes.

Fox Trot—
When You're Smiling
After You've Gone 2727-D.

Waltz—
Little Sweetheart of the Prairie
CB305.

Fox Trot—
You Didn't Have to Tell Me
2704-D.

Let's Have a Party
The Old Man of the Mountain
2704-D.

I Can't Believe It's True
You've Got me in the Palm of
Your Hand 2695-D.

Waltz—
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landed the monster after an excit-
ing chase, and it was still alive
when brought ashore—so alive
that it wounded 10 men with the
wild thrashings of its tail, and bit
three others who had to be taken
to hospital.

A tunney weighing two cwts.
was found inside the dolphin.

—Reuter.

AGE DECLARATION ERRORS

Widowers Are Worst
Offenders.

MARRIAGE RETURNS DISCLOSURE

London.
Men, when they marry, are just
as shy as women about their ages.
At least 1,524 bridegrooms failed
to state their full ages in the re-
gisters, according to the latest
annual return of marriages. There
were also 1,675 brides who were
not accurate about their years.

The spinster brides were the
worst offenders, by about 40 per
cent. But when widowers re-
marry they are twice as careless
about their correct birthdays as
are widows.

In these second marriages 521
widows and only 257 widowers
stated their exact ages. The
errors were only a matter of two
or three years. Many people
thought it was enough to say they
were 35, 40, 45 or 50, believing
that the odd years in between did
not matter much.

There were a number of women
who stopped at 28 for six or seven
years.—Reuter.

SLIMNESS AS A "MENACE."

Budapest Authorities
Worried.

Budapest.
The craze for "modern figures"
has gained such a grip on the
pupils in some Budapest girls
schools that the school authorities
are seriously worried. They say
that it has become a "menace,"
and fear that the girls' health will
be permanently injured.

Special board meetings have
been called, but the school authori-
ties have found themselves com-
pletely helpless before the modifi-
ed "hunger strike" on which their
pupils have embarked in search of
beauty.

A plump girl is stated in some
schools to be "socially ostracised."
—other girls who have achieved a
sylph-like slenderness will hardly
deign to speak to her.—Reuter.

Making Geography Human.

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arduous and meticulous copying of
a country's outlines, ports, rivers
and mountains (always scientific-
ally inaccurate when copied from
the flat). His contour maps of
Europe show England, France,
Spain Italy and the rest drawn
harshly and approximately in
squares and rectangles, the posi-
tion of the great mountain chains
and rivers alone being accurately
indicated.

It is enough, Van Loon has ren-
dised, to teach one lesson at a
time. Most often he prefers to
teach it by the incantation of a
curious, a dramatic, or a humor-
ous fact.

Nevertheless, in all this rough-
and-ready science there is more
than a hint of the rare element of
wonder. He is poet as well as
geographer. Beneath the rude,
cynical, materialistic story of the
world's domestic background that
he tells here, as grim as Hardy and
as irreverent as Twain, there is
the perception of an almost sub-
lime if unconscious saga.

I shall never see the blue Lake
of Como again without seeing, as
Van Loon describes it, the irresisti-
ble downward rush of the gaunt
glacier that piled up through aeons
of time the moraine of earth and
rocks that ultimately dammed the
valley. It does not detract from
the ephemeral beauty of the world
to be shown, underneath the chang-
ing seasons and the tints of blue
and green and gold, the earth's
ageless and harsh anatomy.

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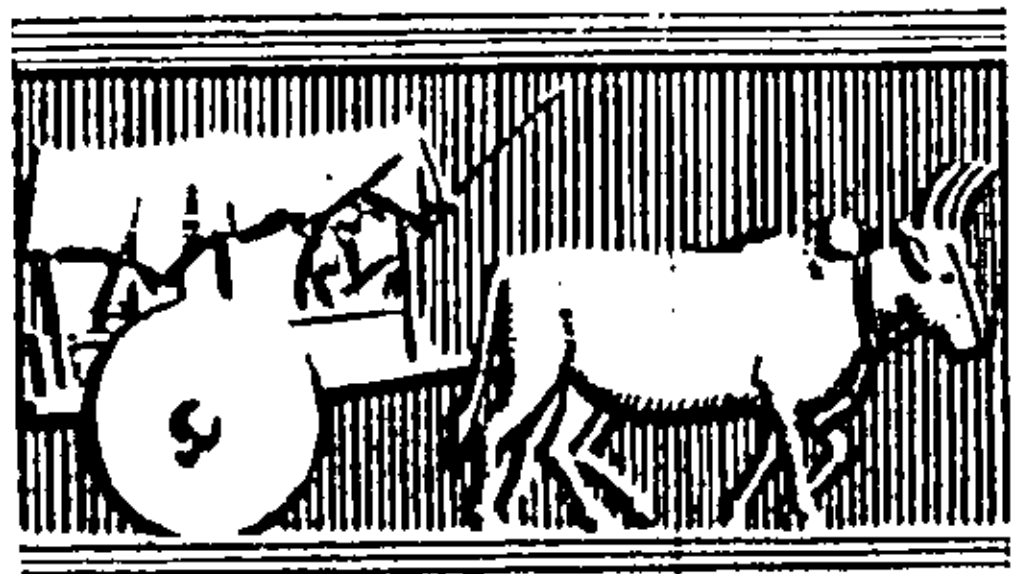
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MR. HEARD DISQUALIFIED AT VALLEY

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White Butterfly Falter.

Mr. "Benny" Proulx had bad luck in the Crocodile Handicap when White Butterfly went lame in the straight after leading the field of eight by fully five lengths. Instead of recording his third win Mr. Proulx had to be content with walking the pony in after the rest of the field.

Mr. Proulx set the pace with King Salmon (Mr. da Roza) and Flying Boy (Mr. Frost) six lengths behind at the football stands. Mr. Pan, on Hey Tor, was lying fourth.

At the Rock White Butterfly was still going well, though the field were drawing closer. Flying Boy was out of the running before the straight was reached. Coming into the straight King Salmon was five lengths behind White Butterfly with Hey Tor close on his heels.

With the race apparently a foregone conclusion Mr. Proulx's mount suddenly stopped in his tracks and was passed in a flash by the rest of the field.

Mr. Pan recorded his only win of the day in a thrilling finish with Mr. da Roza. Mr. "Johnny" Heard filled the third position on Charming Face, the favourite, in a gallant effort to overhaul the leaders. Burghmaster was fourth with Iron Grey, Flying Boy, Black Velvet and White Butterfly finishing in that order.

Hey Tor paid out \$22.10 for a win.

The Novices Race.

Mr. Fung gave Golly Eyes his rein in the Lama Handicap for Novice jockeys, and set a hot pace up to the bend before the football stands where he was overtaken by Snappy Eye (Mr. Remedios) who was followed closely by Banjolina and Jingle. At the Rock Mr. Remedios had maintained his lead, though Banjolina was moving up into a challenging position.

Coming into the straight Fi Fa (Mr. Young) was leading with Snappy Eye and Banjolina on each side of him. Brilliant riding by Mr. Chanson in the last furlong, however, gave Banjolina victory over Fi Fa by a neck.

It was a splendid finish in which Glen Shee secured a surprise placing, being only half a length behind the winner.

The unplaced ponies finished in the following order: Jingle, Sticky-past, Esk, Mistletoe, Golly Eyes, Maria Petra, Britannic Hall, Snappy Eye, Night Patrol and King's Company.

1.—2 p.m.—May Handicap.—Winner \$500. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, "A" and "B" Classes. Entrance \$5.

One and a Half Miles.
Dynasty's King's Justice 143 lbs. (Mr. B. A. Proulx) 1
Mrs. Dunbar's Sitting Bull 152 lbs. (Mr. F. G. Frost) 2
A. M. L. Soares's Sadko 155 lbs. (Mr. E. O. Butler) 3

Also ran:—Bag & Baggage 168 lbs. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard); Bright Star 143 lbs. (Mr. S. Y. Liang); Tom 153 lbs. (Mr. W. T. Stanton). 6 starters.

Won by 3 lengths and half a length.

Time: 3:01.3.

Pari-mutuel:—Winner \$20.50; Places, 1st \$8.10; 2nd \$9.00; 3rd \$7.60.

2.—2:30 P.M.—Stonecutters Handicap.—Winner \$500. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, "C" Class. Entrance \$5. Five Furlongs.

Tally Ho's Royal Flush 152 lbs. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 1

Sureton's Solar Star 152 lbs. (Mr. J. Pote-Hunt) 2

Woo Lai-tin's Flying Tourist 161 lbs. (Mr. P. Young) 3

Also ran:—Alexandra Hall 166 lbs. (Mr. B. A. Proulx); Dee 160 lbs. (Mr. G. A. Harriman); Jack Sharkey 150 lbs. (Mr. J. W. Hope); Mike 162 lbs. (Mr. A. A. R. Botelho); Orlando 162 lbs. (Mr. Y. T. Fung); Poplar Hawk 155 lbs. (Mr. G. P. Ferguson); Tenorio 160 lbs. (Mr. L. G. Frost); Widnes 163 lbs. (Mr. S. N. Pan). 12 starters.

Won by a length and half a length.

Time: 1:13.0.

3.—3:00 P.M.—Brisbane Summer Handicap.—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Ponies of any Season. Entrance \$5. One and a Quarter Miles.

L. Dunbar's Woodland Stag 170 lbs. (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1

E. L. Hoie's The Giraffe 148 lbs. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 2

Seth's What's That 140 lbs. (Mr. J. Pote-Hunt) 3

Also ran:—But After That 135 lbs. (Mr. J. C. A. Ingram); Canny 137 lbs. (Mr. E. O. Butler); Friar Tuck 150 lbs. (Mr. G. U. da Roza); Ration 135 lbs. (Mr. B. A. Proulx); Sunup 155 lbs. (Mr. A. A. R. Botelho); Tecumseh 140 lbs. (Mr. W. C. Poy). 9 starters.

Won by a length and a half and the same.

Time: 2:22.0.

Pari-mutuel:—Winner \$7.00; Places, 1st \$5.70; 2nd \$6.20; 3rd \$5.50.

4.—3:30 P.M.—Second Spring Subscription Griffins Champions.—A Sweepstakes of \$25 each for Starters with \$1,000 added for Winner. Second \$500. Third \$300. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club that arrived in Hong Kong on 2nd January, 1933. Winners and Placed Ponies at Race Meeting of this Club only. Weight for inches as per scale. One and a Quarter Miles.

Dr. S. N. Chau's National Day 155 lbs. (Mr. B. A. Proulx) 1

Lewis and Tinson's De Minimis 152 lbs. (Mr. S. N. Pan) 2

Li Shiu-pang's Vigilance 155 lbs. (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 3

Also ran:—Gay Butterfly 158 lbs. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard); The Panther 152 lbs. (Mr. L. G. Frost). 5 starters.

Won by half a length and three lengths.

Time: 2:38.4.

Pari-mutuel:—Winner \$18.40; Places, 1st \$9.40; 2nd \$7.70.

5.—4:00 P.M.—Lama Handicap.—(First Section).—Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Entrance \$5. One and a Quarter Miles.

H. S. Y.'s Wakefield 155 lbs. (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 1

C. C. C.'s Amoy 163 lbs. (Mr. L. G. Frost) 2

Valley's Valley Hall 148 lbs. (Mr. S. N. Pan) 3

Also ran:—Adam 160 lbs. (Mr. J. Keswick); Festival Eve 155 lbs. (Mr. W. T. Stanton); Helter Skelter 145 lbs. (Mr. J. C. A. Ingram); Partnership 149 lbs. (Mr. S. Y. Liang); Powerful King 150 lbs. (Mr. P. Young); The Crook 145 lbs. (Mr. J. Pote-Hunt). 9 starters.

Won by a length and two lengths.

Time: 2:37.2.

Pari-mutuel:—Winner \$69.50; Places, 1st \$12.20; 2nd \$6.30; 3rd \$7.50.

Pari-mutuel:—Winner \$21.10; Places, 1st \$9.20; 2nd \$14.20; 3rd \$20.80.

Betting

Winner Places

Alexandra Hall . . . 535 470

Tillicum . . . 533 701

Royal Flush . . . 456 564

Solar Star . . . 169 257

Dee . . . 113 140

Flying Tourist . . . 80 150

Mike . . . 77 110

Widnes . . . 75 129

Tenorio . . . 70 104

Orlando . . . 61 78

Jack Sharkey . . . 4 19

Poplar Hawk . . . 1 4

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Won by a length and a half and the same.

Time: 2:22.0.

Pari-mutuel:—Winner \$7.00; Places, 1st \$5.70; 2nd \$6.20; 3rd \$5.50.

6.—5:00 P.M.—Second N.H. Desperandum Stakes.—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club that arrived in Hong Kong on 2nd January, 1933, which have started at least twice at Race Meetings of this Club and have not won a race at such Meetings. Weight for inches as per scale. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

Li Po Chun's Now's The Time 161 lbs. (Mr. Ip Kiu Ying) 1

Sturt & Lobel's Paul Jones 152 lbs. (Mr. L. G. Frost) 2

Fearn's No Fear 161 lbs. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 3

Also ran:—Bold General 155 lbs. (Mr. B. A. Proulx); Cossack's Blood 153 lbs. (Mr. G. P. Ferguson); Darien 152 lbs. (Mr. G. A. Harriman); Disorderly Conduct 152 lbs. (Mr. E. O. Butler); Duplex 161 lbs. (Mr. S. N. Pan); Fanny Face 158 lbs. (Mr. A. R. Botelho); Grand Slam 150 lbs. (Mr. J. W. Hope); Melody 161 lbs. (Mr. G. U. da Roza); Victor 158 lbs. (Mr. F. M. L. Sonares); Vienna 155 lbs. (Mr. Y. T. Fung). Won by half a length and dead heat.

Time: 2:06.3.

* dead heat.

Pari-mutuel, winner \$17.90; Places, 1st \$3.80; 2nd \$20.70; 3rd \$10.30.

7.—5:30 P.M.—Lantau Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "E" Class. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

Dick Swiveller's Devon 148 lbs. (Mr. E. O. Butler) 1

H. P. Raes's Krata Viz 143 lbs. (Mr. B. A. Proulx) 2

Waung & Li's Battling Horse 159 lbs. (Mr. S. N. Pan) 3

Miss Scott Harston's Imperial Hall 156 lbs. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 3

* dead heat.

Also ran:—African Eve 140 lbs. (Mr. J. A. C. Ingram); City of Canton 140 lbs. (Mr. W. C. Poy); Helvellyn 158 lbs. (Mr. L. G. Frost); Just Imagine 168 lbs. (Mr. A. A. R. Botelho); Much Ado 148 lbs. (Mr. Ip Kiu Ying); Spotted Leaf 158 lbs. (Mr. R. A. Carroll); Sunning 140 lbs. (Mr. Y. T. Fung); Swale 162 lbs. (Mr. G. U. da Roza); Ta Peas-

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8.—6:00 P.M.—Crocodile Handicap.—Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, "D" Class. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance \$5. One and a Quarter Miles.

Mok Hing Wing's Banjolina 150 lbs. (Mr. H. P. Chanson) 1

Lewis & Tinson's Fi-Fa 147 lbs. (Mr. P. Young) 2

Li & Lis' Glen Shee 148 lbs. (Mr. Yue Shun Wa) 3

Also ran:—Britannic Hall 148 lbs. (Mr. J. C. A. Ingram); Esk 140 lbs. (Mr. W. H. Choy); Golly Eyes 143 lbs. (Mr. Y. T. Fung); Jingle 145 lbs. (Mr. H. V. Pearse); King's Company 146 lbs. (Mr. G. P. Ferguson); Maria Petra 151 lbs. (Mr. R. A. Carroll); Mistletoe 145 lbs. (Mr. W. C. Poy); Night Patrol 151 lbs. (Mr. M. N. Cochrane); Snappy Eye 140 lbs. (Mr. H. M. Remedios); Sticky-past 145 lbs. (Mr. W. G. Fisher). Won by a neck and a head.

Time: 2:43.4.

Pari-mutuel, winner \$12.60; Places, 1st \$7.20; 2nd \$8.70; 3rd \$14.10.

9.—6:30 P.M.—Lama Handicap.—(Second Section).—Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, "D" Class. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance \$5. One and a Quarter Miles.

Betting. Winner Places

Charming Face . . . 572 539

Hey Tor . . . 495 496

Burghmaster . . . 455 331

King Salmon . . . 445 290

Flying Boy . . . 267 287

Iron Grey . . . 128 96

White Butterfly . . . 105 130

Black Velvet . . . 21 32

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Betting. Winner Places

Banjolina . . . 553 538

Fi-Fa . . . 588 649

Sticky-past . . . 311 274

Esk . . . 256 231

King's Company . . . 105 103

Glen Shee . . . 103 121

Snappy Eye . . . 66 79

Jingle . . . 55 61

Britannic Hall . . . 49 55

Mistletoe . . . 24 46

Maria Petra . . . 31 56

Golly Eyes . . . 13 19

Night Patrol . . . 9 13

Second \$100. Third \$50. For the 140 lb. (Mr. H. V. Pearse); The Goat 162 lb. (Mr. G. A. Harriman); The Loafer 168 lb. (Mr. F. M. L. Soares); The Rainstorm 168 lb. (Mr. W. T. Stanton); Toby 158 lb. (Mr. J. P. Jordan); Whoopee 140 lb. (Mr. P. Young).

Won by a length and half a length.

Time: 1:34.1.

Pari-mutuel, winner \$28.80; places, 1st \$8.20; 2nd \$10.80; 3rd \$5.90 (Imperial Hall); \$6.20 (Battling Horse).

Betting. Winner Places

Battling Horse . . . 543 485

Helvellyn . . . 470 493

Imperial Hall . . . 415 653

Devon . . . 364 390

Krta Viz . . . 166 215

The Goat . . . 99 107

Much Ado . . . 95 137

Swale . . . 85 94

Just Imagine . . . 47 54

Toby . . . 19 41

The Rainstorm . . . 19 41

The Loafer . . . 17 2

Spotted Leaf . . . 15 2

Sunning . . . 13

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Whoopee . . . 8

Ta Peasle . . . 1

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Mrs. E. H. M. Tinson's He Tor 150 lb. (Mr. S. N. Pan) 1

Dynasty's King Salmon 149 lb. (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 2

Samson's Charming Face 15 lb. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 3

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Won by 3/4 length and 1/2 length.

Time: 2:05.4.

Pari-mutuel, winner \$22.10; places, 1st \$7.00; 2nd \$8.70; 3rd \$7.00.

Betting. Winner Places

Charming Face . . . 572 539

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PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.		Boundary Measurements.		Contents in Acres, Roods, and Poles.		Annual Rental.	
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1	At the foot of the hill, near the old village of Wong Nei Chong.	ft.	ft.	ft.	ft.	1,200	24
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By Order,
C. B. BROWN, Secretary.
Hong Kong, 28th May, 1933.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB. NOTICE.

THE MAY HALF YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of Voting Members will be held at the Club House, Happy Valley, on MONDAY, 29th May, 1933, at 5.30 p.m.

All Members are cordially invited to attend and participate in any discussion which may ensue. By Order of the Stewards,
C. B. BROWN, Secretary.
Hong Kong, 15th May, 1933.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

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THE LISTS OF SUBSCRIBERS to the above will close with WEDNESDAY, 31st May, 1933.

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THE EIGHTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on MONDAY, the 5th June, 1933, commencing at 2.00 p.m. The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m. MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE. Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, etc. The Secretary's office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794), will close at 12 o'clock Noon. Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course. On No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting. Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Box in advance. Telephone 21920.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE. The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price. Bookmakers, Tic Tac Men, &c., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting. By Order,
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Hong Kong, 28th May, 1933.

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FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST.

(Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., U.S.A.) Macdonnell Road, Below Bowen Road Tram Station. Sunday Service 11.15 a.m. Subject: "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced." The Sunday School is held on Sunday Morning at 10 o'clock. Wednesday Evening Meeting at 8 p.m. Reading Room at above address open Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, Monday and Thursday, 5.30 to 7 p.m. The Public is cordially invited to attend the service and visit the Reading Room. Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., U.S.A.

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As the years passed, Verona went on dancing—and waiting. But her lover never came back. As she grew older, theatrical engagements became harder to get. Finally she danced in the streets when she was 85. Then she could carry on no longer, and went into a workhouse. Nothing remained to her but dreams of her lost love. Now Verona has died. She was a 100 years old—the oldest spinster in the country.—Reuter.

GRATIFYING RESULTS AT EMPIRE FAIR.

(Continued from Page 1.)

The Fair closed at 10 p.m. according to programme, and even at that hour there were large crowds in the aircraft section and in the pavilions.

To all who so ungrudgingly gave their time and labour to the conspicuous success of the Fair, the Committee feel very grateful. In particular mention must be made of His Excellency the Governor, who invested the Fair with so much dignity by performing the opening ceremony.

Lady Peel graced the proceedings with her presence and our Chinese friends from Canton were heartily welcomed.

"Finally, I should express my gratitude to the Press, without whose co-operation the complete success of the Fair could not have been achieved," concluded Mr. Braga.

There was a comparatively small attendance at the Empire Fair, yesterday afternoon. Nearly all visitors were Chinese.

In spite of the heat the Chinese continued to find attraction in the goods displayed at the various stalls, though it was apparent that the crowd of sightseers had diminished during the last day of the Fair.

Exhibitors found that though enquiries were not so numerous as in the first days of the exhibition, yet the enquiries that were received were of a more genuine nature.

Small articles, such as canned and bottled goods continued to find numerous buyers as did also fruits, both fresh and canned.

Domestic Goods. The Australian and New Zealand sections continued to do business especially in their canned and bottled goods.

The Canadian section also had its quota of visitors, though the type of exhibits in this part of the Fair did not lend themselves to sales from the stand.

Business though not heavy continued to be steady throughout the Fair, all sections finding buyers. Motor cars continued to be sold, the Far East Aviation Co., having taken orders for the delivery of two Canadian-built Chevrolet cars, and other firms also having their quota of sales.

Machinery Section. In the Machinery section there were many enquiries. Messrs. Shevan Tones, had completed the sale of one motor and had received applications for further demonstrations after the conclusion of the Fair.

Their concrete mixers had attracted a great deal of attention and it was expected that many local contractors would find the possession of one of these machines to be of benefit.

Their bottle-filling machine had also attracted the attention of the public.

A representative of the Sunday Herald was told that this firm had received an order from the Hong Kong Brewers and Distillers, Ltd., for the supply of 2,000,000 bottles. This order, though, was received before the opening of the Fair. Local manufacturers had received

PAYMENT IN GOLD WILL NOT BE DEMANDED

President Roosevelt's
Bill To Congress.

TO GO OFF GOLD STANDARD BY STATUTE

Washington, Yesterday. The bill abolishing the gold standard in the United States, was introduced into the House of Representatives yesterday, by Mr. Steagall, Chairman of the Banking Committee of the House.

He said that the passage of the legislation would enable foreign debtors to pay war debts in any money which was legal in the United States.

The legislation was introduced at the request of President Roosevelt.

Mr. Steagall said that the Bill "frees the United States from the obstacles and handicaps of the gold standard." It was an Administration Bill and part of President Roosevelt's emergency relief programme.

The law will make it unnecessary for President Roosevelt to devalue the gold dollar under the inflation provisions of the Farm Relief Act.—Reuter.

Gold Standard Abandoned.

CONSTITUTIONAL ACTION.

Washington, Earlier.

It is announced that the United States will go off the gold standard by Statute. The embargo on gold exports has previously operated under the President's decree.—Reuter.

CHINA'S VIEW ON DISARMMENT.

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convention, which merely reaffirms that general reservation applies to naval as well as land and air armaments.—Reuter.

Columbia And Peru.

DR. KOO'S COMMENT ON SETTLEMENT

Geneva, May 26. Commenting on the settlement between Peru and Colombia, Dr. Wellington Koo congratulated the representatives of both Governments at the successful issue of the negotiations.

He said that at this time when humanity desired the maintenance of peace and a pacific settlement of all disputes, no civilisation could run counter to that desire without incurring universal reprobation. These two countries had given an example which should always everywhere be followed.—Reuter.

GANDHI MAY SURVIVE HIS 21-DAY FAST.

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Indian Congress Secretary.

ORDERED TO LEAVE BOMBAY.

Poona, To-day.

The Government of India has ordered Mr. Dalutram, Secretary to Congress, to leave Bombay and to return home to Sind.

Mr. Aney, President of Congress, has instructed Mr. Dalutram to conform to the order, but protests against the Government's action in view of the suspension of the Civil Disobedience campaign.—Reuter.

WOMEN PREVENT FARM SALE

Madison, Minnesota.

A hundred farm women prevented a mortgage foreclosure here recently.

Saying that they were "carrying on" in the absence of their husbands who were at the State Capitol demanding relief legislation, the women brought about indefinite postponement by surrounding the sheriff in his office so that he could not conduct the sale.—Reuter.

numerous enquiries. The China Kilnware Co., the Amoy Canning Corporation, the Ling Nam Hardware Co., and others had goods on display, and though their object was rather the exhibition of their goods, than actual sales, yet they expressed themselves as being quite satisfied with the results obtained.

ENGLAND'S MAN OF MYSTERY

Application For R.A.F.
Discharge.

FUTURE PLANS SECRET.

London.

The British public is once again stirred to curiosity as to the intentions of England's "Mystery Man"—Aircraftman Shaw, alias Colonel T. E. Lawrence, "The Unconquered King of Arabia." He has applied to the Air Ministry for his discharge from the Royal Air Force, in which service he has acted in the capacity of an aircraftman since August, 1925. He is now stationed at Mount Batten, Plymouth.

The Air Ministry is now considering the application. Reuter has reason to believe that the application will be granted—although Aircraftman Shaw would normally serve another two years, until March, 1935.

No reason for his discharge is stated in Shaw's application. No indication is given as to his future plans.

Thrilling Exploits

The audacious feat performed in the Hedjaz by Thomas Edward Lawrence during the war when he led the Arabs against the Turks are among the most thrilling exploits in history. Lawrence has written about them in his "Seven Pillars of Wisdom" (published for private circulation—in 1926) and "Revolts in the Desert" (published in 1927).

He organized and led raids across the desert dressed in the silken robes of an Arab chieftain and carrying in his gold belt a gold-embroidered dagger, given him by King Hussein, emblem of a "Prince of Mecca."

British and foreign decorations—including the C.B. and D.S.O.—were awarded Lawrence for his war services and he was given the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in the British Army when he was only 30.

But when Lawrence met King George in England he sought permission to decline all his honours—on the ground that the Arabs had not been given a "square deal" in the war settlement. Lord Stanfordham confirms this incident: "Colonel Lawrence explained that he had made certain promises to King Feisal, that those promises had not been fulfilled, and that it was quite possible that he might find himself fighting against the British forces, in which case it would be absolutely wrong and impossible for him to be wearing decorations."

T. E. Lawrence—or Aircraftman Shaw—is now in his 45th year.—Reuter.

SPANISH STUDENTS SHORTCOMING

Lacking In English
"Team Spirit."

Madrid. The one thing Spanish university students lack is the English "team spirit" and "social" education, believes Senor Lasso de la Vega. Reforms now being considered by Parliament may make students better scholars, thinks Senor Vega, but he is worried about their becoming more gentlemanly. He is an ardent admirer of English universities.

No student younger than 17 will be allowed to enter a Spanish university if these reforms are passed by the Government. At present the entrance age is 15.

The Bill proposes to give the Minister of Education the power to pension off those teachers with whom he is dissatisfied.

Definite research courses will be available to Spanish students for the first time by the new law, which is intended to replace an 1857 measure.

The English custom of holding regular public lectures in the universities will also be copied. And the number of examinations per course—the item which most pleases the students—is to be reduced from 30 to 2.—Reuter.

JIGSAW SMASHES LOVE

Chicago, Illinois.

Jigsaw was on a par with bridge and golf now in U.S.A. as grounds for divorce.

Mrs. Harriet Anderson was the first to bring the matter up in court.

In her suit for divorce she alleged that her husband beat her because she expended her weekly allowance for jigsaw puzzles.—Reuter.

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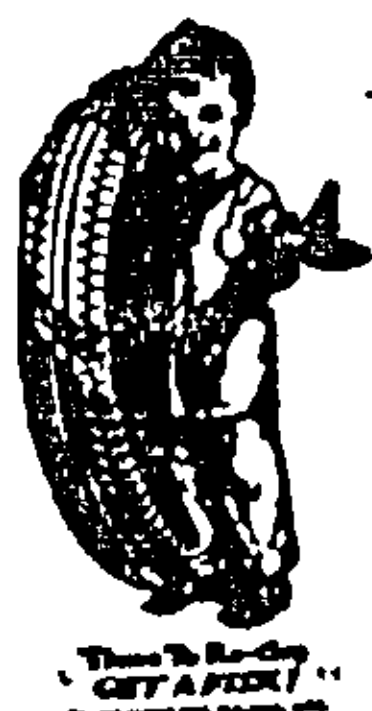
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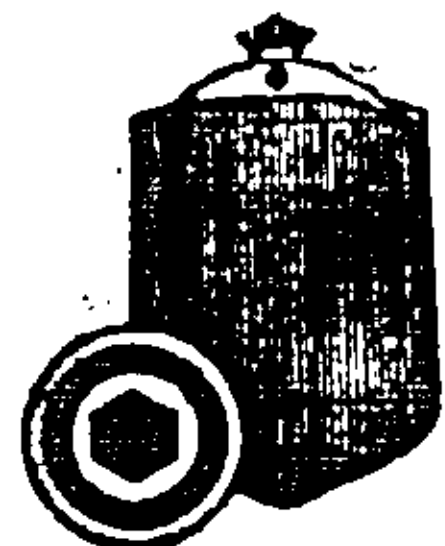
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All factors in the design should contribute to this good ride. It would be perfectly possible for instance, to make a car which performs well, as far as hill climbing and acceleration are concerned but with a high centre of gravity. But such a car would have a feeling of instability which would create a tenseness due to a subconscious sense of fear on the part of the occupants of the car. On the other hand, a car with a low centre of gravity permits relaxation, which is due to the sense of safety. A good, comfortable spring suspension which irons out the road shocks is also an essential part of good performance. Silence is another essential and this means not only silence as far as mechanical parts and sound are concerned, but also the elimination of the rushing sound of air which produces a roar in a closed body.

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Another prime essential to good performance is the elimination of the element of fatigue from riding and driving. As far as the driver is concerned, a great deal of his fatigue comes from nervous tension on a long run. Contributing factors to this on a long drive, are the position of the dash instruments, the incline of the back of the front seat, the feel of the wheel in the hand, the position of the feet on the pedals and the position of the arms. All of these seem like mere details but they become mighty important on a long ride. Every one of them is an element in that quality that we call performance—and that is what the public wants to-day.

SYDNEY BRIDGE "SHOCKS" TOLL COLLECTORS

Cars crossing the new Sydney Harbour bridge have been giving electric shocks to toll collectors. These have been particularly violent on hot, dry days, but in wet weather the effects diminish or disappear altogether.

So serious did complaints become that a spring steel "earth" was installed with which the front axles of cars make contact automatically as the vehicles approach.

The generally accepted theory to account for this strange phenomenon is that the friction generates the electricity.

BRITISH TRIUMPHS ABROAD.

New Car Success
In Africa.

British cars have these many years been setting their mark upon the dark face of Africa, beginning, notably, with the Court-Trent expedition with Crossleys, ten years ago. Then came the heroic battle across the wildest part of the Continent with plucky little Jowett's; an Austin Seven wandered from the South African goldfields to Lagos, high up the West Coast; a Morris Minor dashed up from Johannesburg to Juba (Uganda) and back, last year; and a pair of Alpine Rileys won through to the Cape from London eight months ago.

Now news comes back of a Standard Big Nine's achievement in the hands of a British ex-naval chaplain, the Rev. L. N. Green, who claims to be the first person to make the trip in a light car from Mombasa (Kenya's chief port), by way of Nairobi and the western shore of Lake Victoria, to the Cape. "The Autocar."

BAD STARTING OF BRITISH CARS

High Taxation And
High Efficiency Engine

Apart from minor sources of annoyance or trouble, such as oil sumps that cannot be emptied by a reasonably get-at-able tap, and door pillars that cause blind spots and door handles and window winders that catch in one's clothes, the average car of 1932 had, and the average car of 1933, still has, one or two quite serious faults—that is, from the point of view of the owner who does things for himself, or herself.

Why are so many English cars so difficult to start up in cold weather, while Americans seem to adapt themselves unaided to either torrid or arctic conditions?

The explanation given is that it is another result of high taxation and high efficiency engines with high compression ratios.

No doubt that is a good explanation of the fact that it is more difficult to make our engines easy and quick starters, but it does not justify their so frequent failure.

Some cars, most decidedly of the high efficiency type, only need a little coaxing and patience, but far too many others, of all prices and classes, won't fire without being strangled or tickled or choked or otherwise cajoled, and when they fire won't pull until it suits their sulky pleasure.

BRITISH CAR EXPORTS

The average value per car exported from Great Britain during 1932 compared with that exported during the two preceding years was as follows:—1932, £126; 1931, £154; 1930, £175.

During January the average figure was as low as £104.

NEW MOTOR OIL IN BRITAIN

Tests At Brooklands

A new motor oil, claimed to give better lubrication at lower cost, was introduced to a gathering of motor manufacturers and engineers at Dorchester Hotel, Park Lane, W., recently.

The chief engineer of the Vacuum Oil Company, Mr. O. T. Jones, described and illustrated with lantern slides how the new product had been tested by the R.A.C. at Brooklands and by the National Physical Laboratory.

For the private owner the points of interest of the "New Mobiloil," as it is called, are that it gives higher engine performance over extended periods, with less frequent decarbonisation; that with it the crank-case need not be drained so often; and that it makes starting from cold substantially easier.

Mr. E. C. Gordon-England, who presided, said that the new oil represented the biggest step forward in motor lubrication of recent years.

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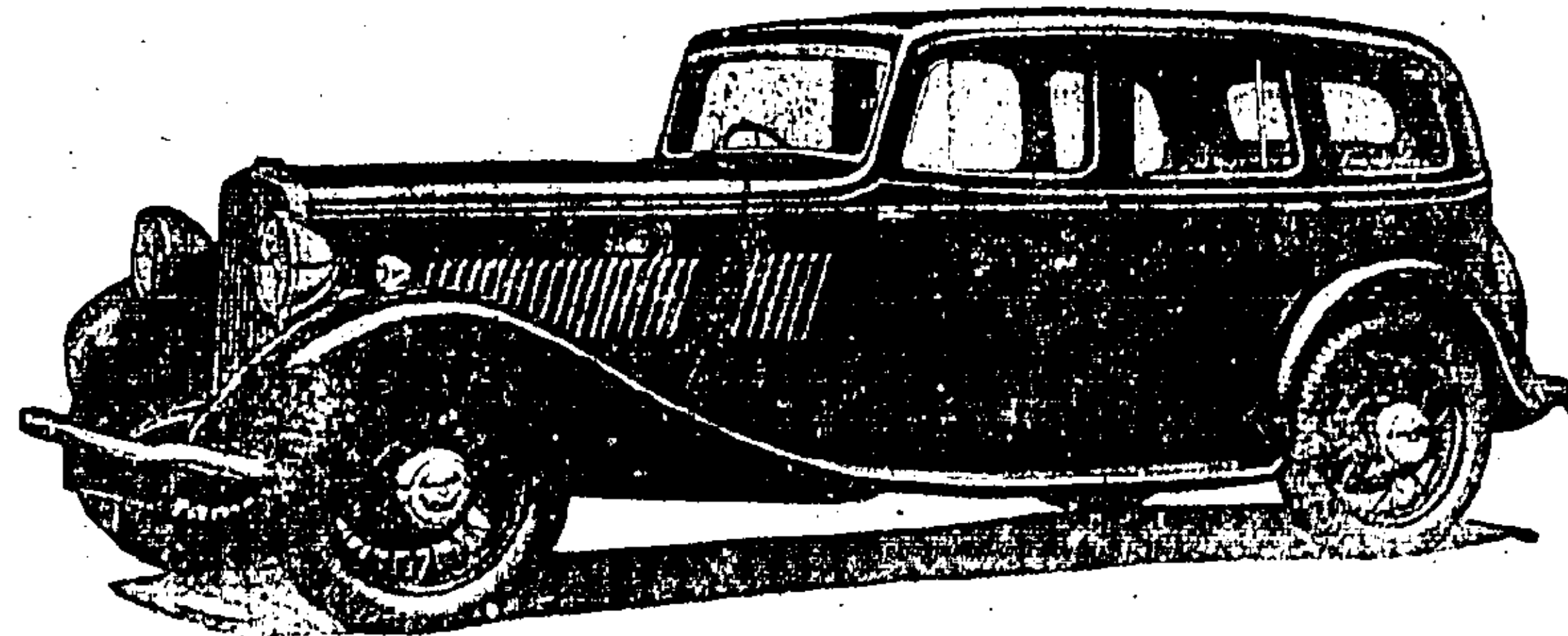
2 p.m. he signed an application for a policy.

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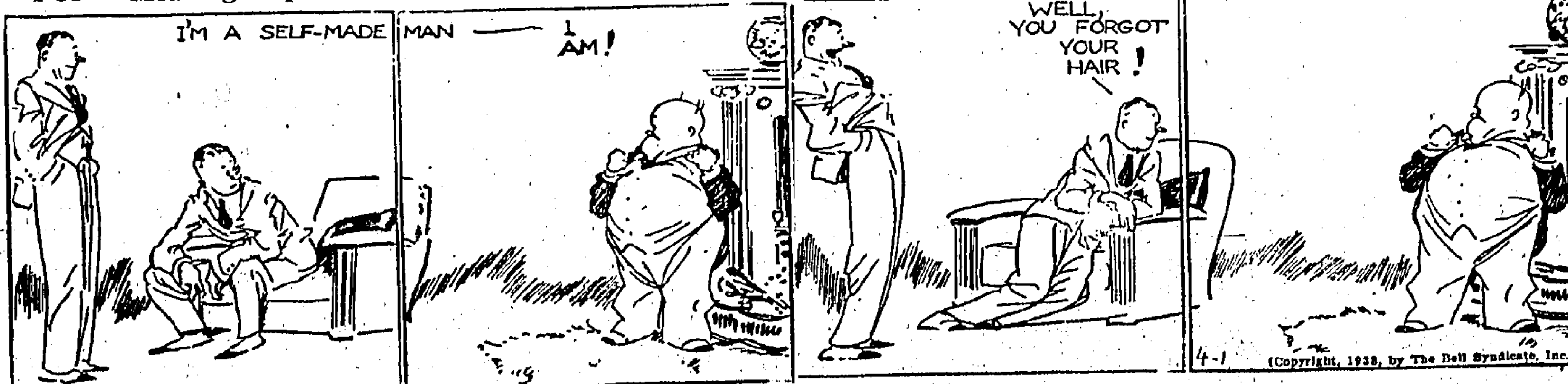
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SENSATIONAL PIRACY AT MIRS BAY

CAPTAIN WOUNDED IN ATTACK
ON NORWEGIAN SHIP

14 PIRATES LOOT VESSEL, BUT NO-ONE
KIDNAPPED.

THE MASTER OF THE NORWEGIAN STEAMER "PROMINENT," CAPT. H. JENSEN, WAS WOUNDED ON FRIDAY, WHEN 14 PIRATES, ARMED WITH REVOLVERS SEIZED THE VESSEL IN MIRS BAY, AND AFTER LOOTING HER, ESCAPED IN BOATS, LANDING AT HA SHA.

The vessel was bound for Saigon and was only a few miles out of Hong Kong when the outrage occurred. Although the attack was made with surprising suddenness, a message was sent out and was picked up by No. 4 Police launch, which patrols the district.

The launch gave chase but failed to reach the ship before the pirates had escaped to the shore opposite Ping Chau Island, in MIRS Bay. No-one was kidnapped, and the extent of the looting is not yet known. The ship returned to Kowloon Bay yesterday morning.

The s.s. Prominent which was rescued from pirates at 11 p.m. on Friday, had been in the hands of the pirates for two days. Her wireless distress signals were picked up by Nos. 1 and 4 Police Launches.

The No. 4 Police launch chased the pirated steamer in MIRS Bay and fired a three-pounder shell at the vessel, and the "Prominent," in the hands of the pirates, attempted to ram the Police launch. It is estimated by the Water Police that the Police chase took place in MIRS Bay about 20 miles from Hong Kong.

Bullet-Wound In The Leg. The master of the s.s. Prominent, Captain H. Jensen, was taken to the Kowloon Hospital immediately on the arrival of the pirated vessel in Hong Kong harbour. He is suffering from a bullet wound in the left leg.

The steamer left Hong Kong on the evening of May 24, on a voyage to Saigon. She has been chartered by Messrs. Larssen, Karsten & Co., local agents for the vessel, to the Nam Fat Steamship Co., of Saigon, for the period of one year. It is estimated that about 100 deck passengers were on board the vessel at the time of the piracy.

The Europeans on board numbered six, namely the Captain, two officers and three engineers. The Chinese crew totals 38.

The local agents of the vessel, Messrs. Larssen, Karsten & Co., are unable to furnish any details of the piracy at the present time, as full news has not yet reached their office.

The s.s. Prominent is a steel-screw steamer of 2,232 tons gross, and is owned by Messrs. H. M. Wrangell and Company. Built by the Hong Kong and Whampoa Dock Company, Ltd., in 1918, the Prominent has a length of 270.6 feet, a breadth of 40.1 feet and a depth of 19.4 feet.

STORY OF THE PIRACY.

Two Officers As Temporary Hostages

The Water Police state that at 11.30 p.m., on Friday, the No. 4 Police launch was patrolling in the vicinity of MIRS Bay when the s.s. Prominent was seen entering the Bay.

It was known that the ship should not have been in that locality, and the Police launch signalled her to stop. As the Prominent did not do so, the Police launch fired a three-pounder shell at her. Thereupon the Norwegian officers called out, "Don't fire."

The pirates then escaped by landing at Ma Sha, in MIRS Bay, opposite Ping Chau Island.

They took with them two of the Norwegian officers to cover their retreat, as they were pursued by the Police. After they had landed they allowed the two officers to return to their vessel.

The Hong Kong Police have launches in MIRS Bay which are still patrolling in the hope of capturing the pirates who attacked the s.s. Prominent. The pirates, however, have escaped into Chinese territory.

GRAPHIC STORY OF THE PIRACY BY SHIP'S CAPTAIN

Officers Overpowered
After Fight.

HAIL OF BULLETS FROM
POLICE LAUNCH.

When interviewed by the "Sunday Herald," last evening, Capt. H. Jensen, of the ill-fated s.s. Prominent, stated that the piracy took place because the pirates believed that the ship was carrying a large amount of money in her cargo.

He also stated that finding no money in the cargo, they stole \$335 in Hong Kong money, 106 Piastres Saigon money, and about three or four dollars in small coinage. The pirates also helped themselves to money and valuables from the persons of the passengers.

They selected four passengers and the ship's comrade, whom they had intended to kidnap, but the arrival of the Police launch No. 4, caused them to leave the "Prominent" in a hurry and they were unable to carry out their intention.

Capt. Jensen stated that the fire of the Police launch proved dangerous to those aboard the pirated steamer, as the pirates were desperate and threatened to set the vessel on fire if the Police did not desist.

The firing from the Police launch was so hot that several of the Chinese crew jumped into the sea rather than face the hail of machine gun bullets and the three-pound shells falling on the ship. The second officer who was on the poop attempting to launch a boat was forced to beat a retreat owing to the dangerous fire which he experienced.

Searched for Pirates

The vessel left Hong Kong at 8 p.m. on May 23, after she had been searched for pirates by members of the Hong Kong Police.

For the first day the Prominent and the s.s. Helicon, a vessel on the same run were running side by side down the China Sea, about six miles separating them. The pirates had intended to make their attack on the night of May 24 but the presence of the s.s. Helicon, caused them to alter their plans.

They therefore made their attack at about 2 a.m. on May 26.

The second officer, Mr. George Jensen, was on watch when he was attacked by the chief pirate who threatened him with an automatic pistol. The second officer picked up the pirate and threw him on to the deck below, and followed him down the ladder.

Second Officer's Fight

He found, however, that several other pirates attacked him. The noise attracted the attention of the Captain who came out of his cabin brandishing a mallet, since he thought that a fight was in progress between some coolies.

When he found out that the ship was being attacked by pirates,

SILVER BOUGHT IN NEW YORK.

Closes Firm On Wall
Street Market.

STOCKS RISE AGAIN.

New York, Yesterday. Silver closed firm in line with other markets in New York, yesterday. Consistent buying for September and December was done by a prominent house. There was some foreign selling.

In their report on the market, Messrs. E. A. Pierce and Company, through their local agents, Messrs. Asia Lands, Ltd., state:—"The advance in industrial issues may culminate during the next few days. We think that the strength of rails over the next few days will become aggressive, similar to to-day's action of industrials."

"Talk is strong here that gold stocks are on the edge of a large advance. The wheat market opened easier on news of good spring wheat weather, but rallied later on political news relative to the buying of Government bonds to help agriculture. Cotton advanced sharply."

Business was brisk. 4,350,000 shares changing hands. Industrials showed a big advance, rising 2.69 to 86.42, while rail, utility and bond averages improved 75.34 and 25 to 40.99, 28.86 and 83.07 respectively.—Reuter.

Captain Jensen joined his second officer in the fight, and received a bullet in the thigh which splintered the bone. The second officer received a chopper gash in the back, which has not proved to be serious.

The pirates appeared to be novices, except for about four or five out of the total of fifteen, for they were nervous of their weapons and shot badly. Many of them, also, were armed only with choppers and table knives.

Officers Overpowered

The Captain and second officer were at last overpowered. The chief officer had been captured while asleep on the boat deck. The Chief Engineer was captured in his room and the second and third engineers were taken in the engine room. The pirates were thus masters of the ship and ordered the Captain to make for MIRS Bay.

At 10.30 p.m. on May 26, the Captain was forced to go up on to the bridge, in spite of his painful wound, and on arrival there he found that in spite of their lights all being out they had been sighted by a Police launch, which kept them in view with her searchlight.

They were then chased to MIRS Bay, where the vessel grounded owing to the desperate nervousness of the pirates.

The pirates landed at Ha Sha, and took the Chief and second officers with them to cover their flight. The officers after accompanying the pirates over the hill were allowed to return to their vessel.

Captain Jensen was taken to the Kowloon Hospital immediately on the arrival of the Prominent in Hong Kong at 8 a.m., yesterday.

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"Watch And Watch," a great short story by the popular novelist Rolf Bennett will appear in tomorrow's China Mail, continuing the series of short stories which are published daily in Hong Kong's oldest and brightest newspaper.

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40 GLASSES OF WINE

Madrid. Jose Galan, aged 28 made a bet with a friend that he would drink 40 glasses of wine without stopping in a tavern in San-lucar, near Cadiz.

Although his friends tried to persuade him to stop after he had drunk six glasses, Jose went on and collapsed as he finished his fortieth glass. He died in a few minutes.—Reuter.

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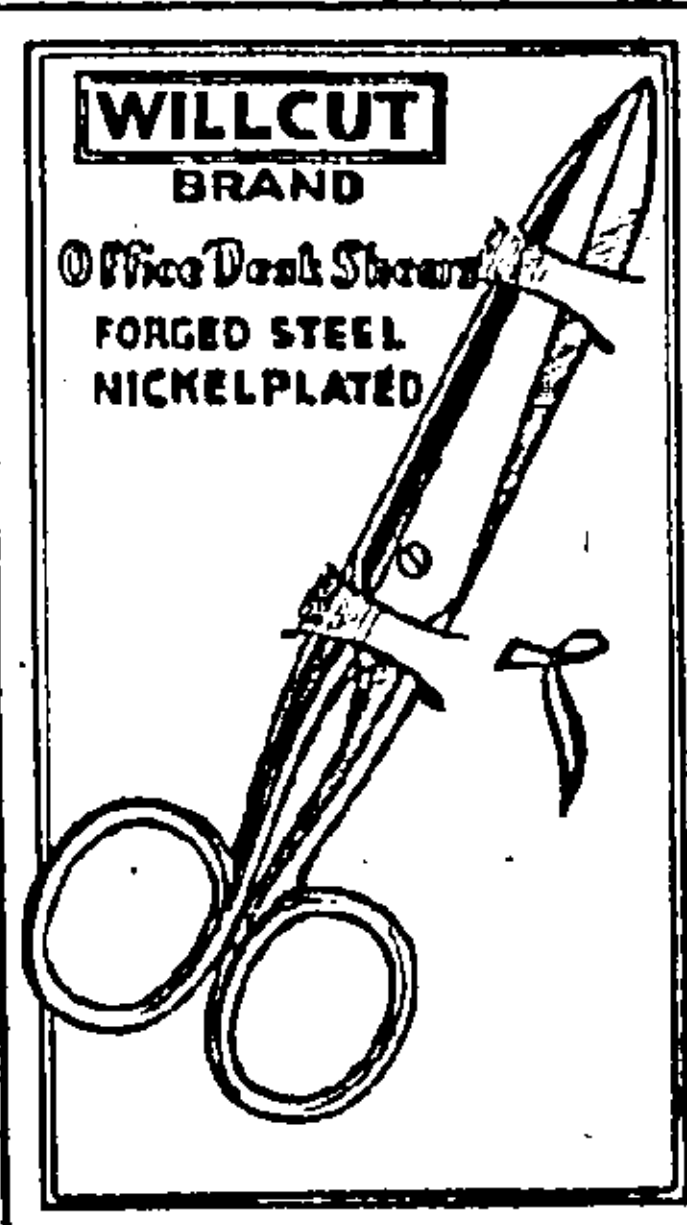
An ex-bootlegger had asked the United States Board of Tax Appeals at Washington to permit him to deduct the loss of a \$12,000 liquor still from his income tax return. This still was seized and destroyed by police in 1927.—Reuter.

YESTERDAY'S CASH SWEEPS

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" 291	314			" 7	404.00
" 328	157			" 659	101.00
Unplaced runners (\$50 each).		Race 5.		" 422	101.00
Nos.: 42, 77, 92.		No. 126	\$2,632	Unplaced runners (\$50 each).	
Race 2.		" 513	752	Nos.: 358, 93, 219, 148, 87, 384, 517,	
No. 226	\$1,029	" 42	376	676, 654, 647, 392, 371, 244, 660.	
" 407	294	Unplaced runners (\$100 each).		Race 9.	
" 471	147	Nos.: 518, 528, 170, 281, 380, 350.		No. 493	\$1,748.60
Unplaced runners (\$50 each).		Race 6.		" 676	499.60
Nos.: 73, 349, 292, 183, 4, 268, 324,		No. 409	\$1,372	" 95	249.80
77, 84.		" 153	392	Unplaced runners (\$50 each).	
Race 3.		" 571	196	Nos.: 670, 646, 591, 305, 174.	
No. 326	\$1,265.60	Unplaced runners (\$50 each).		Race 10.	
" 294	361.60	Nos.: 222, 500, 468, 264, 69, 534,		No. 778	\$1,890.00
" 254	180.80	411, 269, 519, 322, 418 518.		" 753	640.00
Unplaced runners (\$50 each).		Race 7.		" 170	270.00
Nos.: 117, 527, 405, 518, 382, 28.		No. 67	\$1,428.00	Unplaced runners (\$50 each).	
Race 4.		" 284	308.00	Nos.: 121, 720, 451, 786, 331, 497,	
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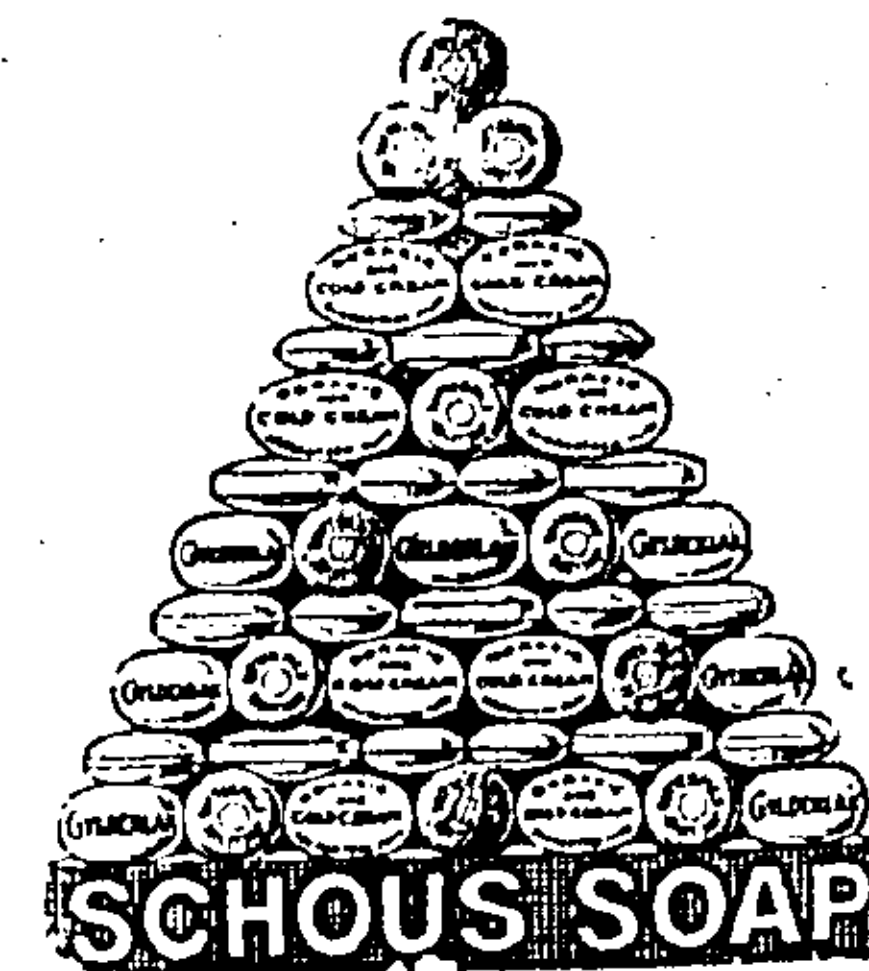
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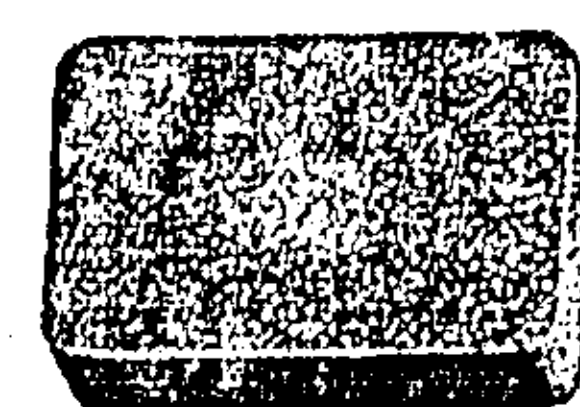
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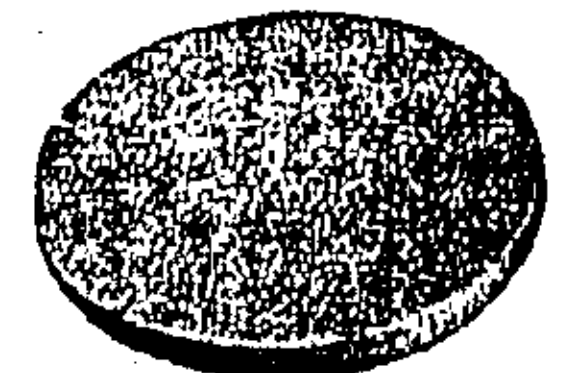


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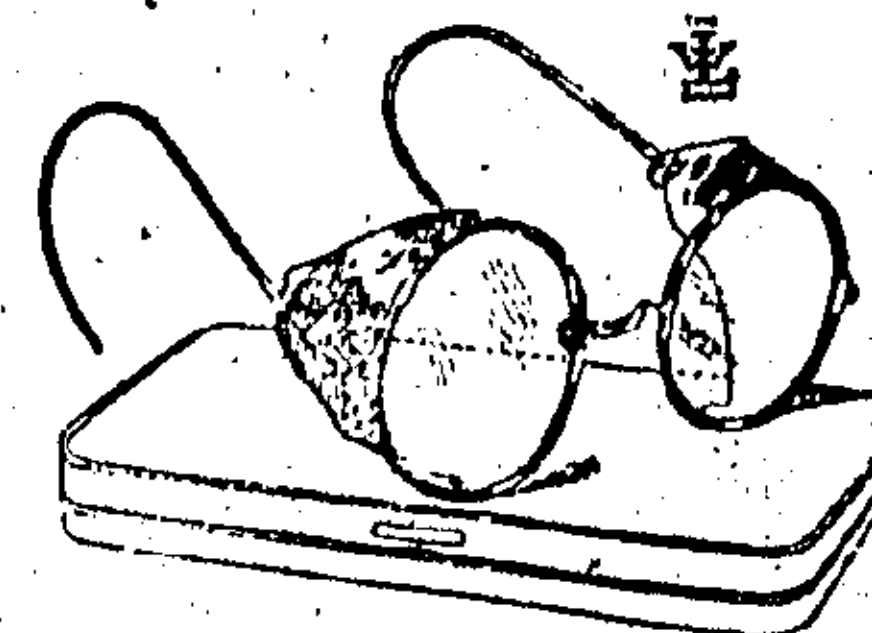
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